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MR. BALLINGER GOES ON STAND TO DETAIL ALASKA COAL DEALS

Secretary of the Interior Faces Crowded Room as He Appears Before Inquiry Board for Examination.

CASE NEARS CLOSE

Declares He Has No Interest in the Cunningham Claims and Never Has Had—Outlines His Career.

WASHINGTON—Secretary of the Interior Richard A. Ballinger took the witness stand today at the congressional investigation of charges made against him by L. A. Glavis, former field agent of the land office, and Gifford Pinchot, the removed chief forester. When asked whether he would have an advance statement such as Mr. Pinchot read from the stand, Secretary Ballinger said:

"No, I will not follow in the footsteps of those who throw calumny on government officials and then refuse to swear to their statements."

The hearing room was crowded to the doors, a large percentage being women. Atty. Q. J. Vertrees, chief counsel for Mr. Ballinger, conducted his direct examination.

Before Mr. Ballinger took the stand Attorney Brandeis renewed his request that the attorney-general be asked to produce drafts of his "summary" of the Glavis charges. On Thursday the committee blocked this move, but Mr. Brandeis today declared that the necessity of having these papers was imperative before his cross-examination of the secretary. Chairman Nelson said the committee had decided to hear arguments on the matter by counsel on both sides later.

Mr. Ballinger, who apparently was perfectly at ease, briefly outlined his public services in the state of Washington, laying particular stress on the anti-slavery crusade he led while mayor of Seattle.

He declared that it was only upon the repeated solicitation of Senator Piles of Washington, James R. Garfield, then secretary of the interior, and President Roosevelt himself, that he consented to become commissioner of the general land office.

"My relations with Mr. Garfield," Secretary Ballinger said, "were entirely friendly, but not intimate. I knew him in college."

When Mr. Ballinger came to Washington as commissioner, he testified, the members of his law firm agreed they were not to engage in any law practice

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MAYOR FITZGERALD ARRAIGNS FRAMERS OF CITY'S CHARTER

Mayor John F. Fitzgerald today uttered a severe condemnation of the provisions of the new city charter which permit the civil service commission to turn down any of the mayor's appointments without giving the reasons therefor, and he declared that the responsibility for this condition of affairs rests entirely upon the people who framed the charter.

In speaking of the question today the mayor pointed out the fact that if any one of these appointees is not confirmed, and no reasons are given for not confirming them, this will place a stigma on the business career of these men.

He argued that if such confirmation is withheld, it will be almost impossible to get respectable business men to permit their names to be used and sent to a body which has such unlimited power as has the civil service commission under the new charter.

ARMY ENGINEERS SURVEY HARBOR

Lieut.-Col. Edward Burr, local army engineer, today started several engineers surveying Boston harbor to establish new harbor lines. The engineers will not only survey lines that it is proposed to change on the petition brought by the Hon. Henry M. Whitney for the East Boston, company, but also others with a view to future changes. As soon as the survey is complete a harbor line report, with recommendations by Colonel Burr, will be sent to chief of engineers, Brig.-Gen. William L. Marshall.

CROP DAMAGE EXAGGERATED. WASHINGTON—The damage to crops in the southern states east of the Mississippi river is not so great as some of the first reports seemed to indicate, according to President Finley of the Southern railway.

BUDGET BILL TODAY IS IN HANDS OF KING FOR HIS SIGNATURE

Lords Pass the Measure, That Led to Dissolution of Parliament Without Opposition and in One Sitting.

SPEAKING IS SHARP

LONDON—King Edward today received the budget bill for signature. This is the measure the rejection of which by the House of Lords precipitated the dissolution of Parliament and the recent general election.

The Lords on Thursday night, in a single sitting and without opposition, passed the bill through its last two readings. The failure of the Lords to object further to the measure was due to the conviction that the general election had to a great extent upheld the government in the projects it contains.

There was a large attendance in the House. The proceedings were uneventful, but some eloquent speeches were made. Lord Lansdowne, as leader of the opposition, who was nominally responsible for the rejection of the bill last year, recalled the fact that the Lords had referred the budget to the country, and added:

"We have as honorable men bound by pledges no other course than to acquiesce in the passage of the bill on all its stages tonight."

Lord Lansdowne dwelt much, however, on the notorious difficulties the government had met in getting a majority for the bill in the House of Commons. Addressing the Earl of Crewe as the government leader, Lord Lansdowne said: "The Irish asset was so doubtful that for two months you did not dare to bring your budget forward. Not one of you could have told until a very few days ago whether you had a majority or not."

Lord Lansdowne congratulated the government on the success of its diplomacy, which seemed, he declared, to be due to the sort of tactics adopted in Morocco and Somaliland, where allies of doubtful allegiance were brought into line by the offer of certain inducements.

The government had capitulated to a faction to whom it had intimated its readiness to overturn the constitution by unconstitutional means, without having the smallest idea of what to put in its place.

The high lord chancellor, Lord Loreburn, closing for the government, said: "We will not live as a government in chains under the bondage of a Conservative majority in this House."

LONDON—The constant reference to the King's constitutional position and his possible action in the present political turmoil, has led Lord Knollys, his private secretary, to write for publication a reply to an inquirer in which he says:

"The King at all times is anxious that his name should be kept out of all controversies of a political nature."

COLUMBUS DAY BILL PASSES SENATE AND GOES TO GOVERNOR

The state of Massachusetts will have a new holiday, Columbus day, Oct. 12, if Governor Draper signs the bill which went to him today. The measure was finally enacted today by the Senate without dissent and was forwarded immediately to the executive office for Mr. Draper's signature.

Several states now recognize Oct. 12 as a legal holiday and Pennsylvania, New York, New Jersey and some others celebrated the day last year for the first time.

The Massachusetts proposal was strongly urged by the Italian citizens of the state, who have also secured the introduction into Congress of a measure looking to the establishment of the day as a national holiday.

Celebrations of the day held in 1909 included the closing of public buildings, schools and business houses and of exercises with speaking and musical programs.

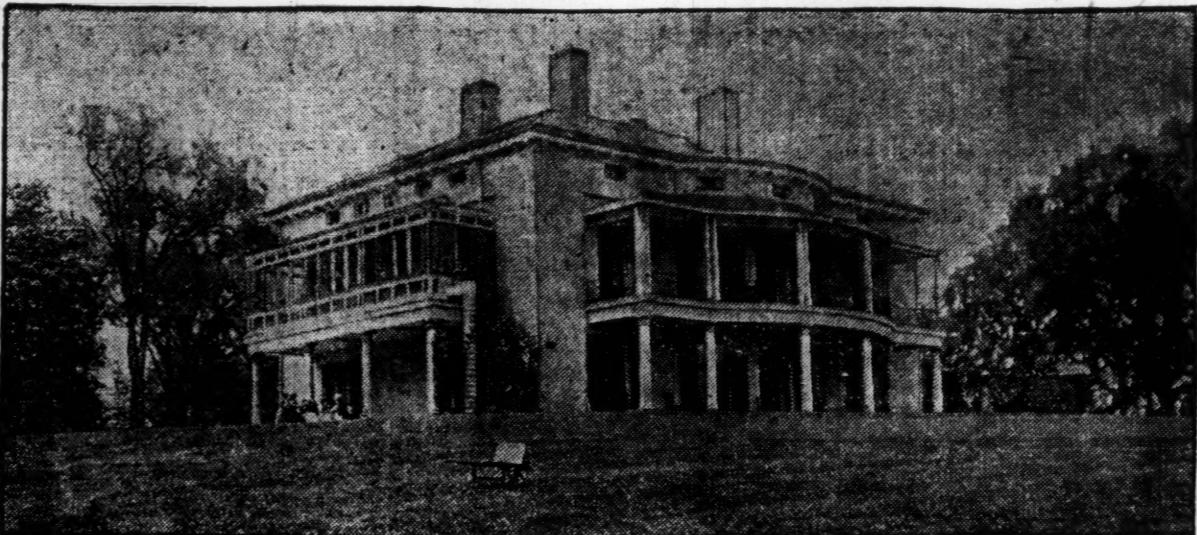
PEASANTS ATTACK JEWS OF KIEFF

BUCHAREST, Roumania.—The Dimincatu today prints despatches from Kieff stating that hundreds of Jews were massacred there Thursday by the Russian peasantry. Hundreds of peasants from surrounding towns gathered in Kieff, according to the despatches, and invaded the Ghetto.

The Jews appealed to the governor-general for protection, but he ignored them. Women and children suffered alike with the men, the Dimincatu says, and the pogrom was kept up until the last of the Jews had either been killed or had fled from the city. The expulsion of Jews from Kieff began on April 23.

Open Air Play to Be Given for Masonic Home

Woman's Auxiliary will present "As You Like It" by Emerson College graduates at Benton estate, Belmont, Mass.



RESIDENCE OF COL. EVERETT C. BENTON AT BELMONT, MASS.

Section of spacious grounds surrounding the residence of Col. Everett C. Benton at Belmont, where "As You Like It" is to be presented for the benefit of the new Masonic home on evening of May 14.

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A BENEFIT dramatic performance for the Masonic home at Charlton, Mass., in which the 150,000 Masons of Massachusetts are at present deeply interested, will be given by the Women's Auxiliary of the Masonic home committee under the auspices of Belmont Lodge, A. F. & A. M., on the beautiful estate of Col. Everett C. Benton at Oakley road, Belmont, on the afternoon and evening of Saturday, May 14.

The post graduate class of the Emerson College of Oratory will give "As You Like It" in the evening on the sloping lawn at the south of the house.

Miss Blanche A. Benton, who will be the hostess of the occasion and will have the entire affair under her management and direction, is now perfecting all the arrangements with the cooperation of her father, Colonel Benton, who will throw open the house and grounds including the

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CHARLESTOWN CUT OFF BY BURNING OF DRAW IN THE BRIDGE

The Boston elevated and surface car service over the big Charlestown drawbridge between the city proper and Charlestown was tied up at noon today by a fire which caused a loss of \$200,000.

When Harry Bolan, draw tender, went into the turret house to open the bridge to let the tug Zetis and the barge Smyrna through he was confronted by a burst of flames which apparently came from the six motors used to operate the draw. Two huge compressed air tanks charged at 2000 pounds per square inch exploded and broke the retainers of 300 gallons of hydroil oil which with the compressed air moves the draw.

The explosion of the tanks and the letting loose of this vast amount of inflammable oil deluged the under works of the draw, and in a few minutes the entire structure was a mass of flames enveloped in clouds of black smoke. The draw, which weighs 1280 tons, was badly charred on the under part, and the timber was taken out of the soft steel of which it is constructed, making it unsafe for future use.

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PRESIDENT TAFT LEAVES TONIGHT

WASHINGTON—President Taft leaves tonight on a long trip. He will be away just one week, returning next Friday in time to enjoy the first garden entertainment this year at the White House. In the week that he is away the President will visit Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and St. Louis. At all these cities he will make speeches and at Pittsburgh and St. Louis he will see some league baseball. At Cincinnati the President will have an opportunity to attend the May festival and hear some fine singing.

MR. TAFT AND CHINESE PRINCE EXCHANGE DIPLOMATIC NOTES

WASHINGTON—It developed today that the meeting at the White House between Prince Tsai-Tao and President Taft had a very important diplomatic bearing aside from the extension of courtesies from one official to another. The prince delivered to the President a significant greeting from the Regent, his brother, and received from President Taft in return a message directly bearing on the Manchurian situation as it has developed in this administration.

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COURT DEFAULTS MAYER OF SALEM

SALEM, Mass.—Arthur Howard, the mayor, called in the poor debtor court today, failed to answer and was defaulted. The next step, under the usual procedure, is to apply to the clerk for a certificate for his arrest. Just when this will be done is not known.

The case is the one in which William C. Horne and others entered suit Saturday against the mayor, to recover the amount of a judgment against the mayor, given in 1908, in a New York court, and amounting to \$173.04, which judgment was never satisfied. The complainants brought suit to recover with interest.

LET'S CONTRACTS FOR ARMY SUPPLY

Capt. Robert H. Rolfe, army depot quartermaster in Boston, today awarded contracts for over \$20,300 worth of clothing for soldiers of the regular army to be delivered at the Boston depot before June 30. The awards are expected to be for uniforms of more contracts.

F. E. Webb, 67 Summer street, Boston, is to furnish 25,000 pairs of white gloves at 15½ cents a pair and 25,000 pairs at 15¼ cents a pair, a total cost of \$6802.50. H. M. Sawyer & Son, of East Cambridge, 1000 pommele slickers to cost \$1835; Henry T. Kent of Clifton Heights, Pa., 68,000 pairs of light woolen stockings a total cost of \$8945.54, and Samuel Parsons Company of Cohoes, N. Y., 3000 light woolen undershirts to cost \$2692.

RECORD COD ON EXHIBITION. What is thought to be the largest cod ever brought to T. wharf is today on exhibition in the window of the Quincy market fish dealer. The fish weighs 100 pounds, is five feet, nine inches long and the body is much thicker than that of the average man. It was caught in South channel Wednesday by one of the schooner Manhasset's crew.

This painting has received enthusiastic praise from artists in Boston and is valued at \$17,000.

PORTRAIT OF LADY GIVEN TO MUSEUM

"Portrait of a Lady," by Nicholas Maes, signed and dated 1670, has been given to the Museum of Fine Arts by Mrs. W. Scott Fitz, who has recently given also a portrait by Goya.

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QUEEN WILHELMINA AND DUTCH CONSORT MEET EX-PRESIDENT

Royal Pair Sends Automobile to Station at Arnhem and Several Hours Are Spent at Country Palace.

BOSTON UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT TO HOLD CLOSING RECEPTION

President William E. Huntington, Who Retires This Year From Office, Meets Students Today.

AMSTERDAM DINNER PROM GIVEN TONIGHT

By a Staff Correspondent of the United Press.

ARNHEM, Netherlands—After a four hours' ride through the most beautiful country they have yet seen, Colonel Roosevelt and his family arrived here at noon today.

There was an ovation for the ex-President at every station, culminating with one here by several hundred Americans and 10 times their number of natives.

Awaiting the party at the station were two of Queen Wilhelmina's automobiles, in which they were driven to the Het Loo palace of the Queen, a short distance from Apeldoorn, 17 miles northeast of Arnhem.

The reception by the Queen and her consort, Prince Henry, was unusually cordial. After luncheon there was an informal visit about the palace grounds with the Queen honoring her guests by acting as their personal escort.

At 3 o'clock the Roosevelts motored to Apeldoorn and at 5 o'clock they took a special train for Amsterdam.

A dinner will be given in honor of the Roosevelts at the Queen's Amsterdam palace tonight, at which the burgomaster will preside. There will be 40 guests.

At 11 o'clock the party will leave for The Hague, remaining there until Sunday night.

BRUSSELS—Ex-President Roosevelt and his family left here this morning at 7 o'clock for Holland after one of the most enthusiastic welcomes ever given a foreigner on Belgian soil.

A dinner was given Thursday evening by the King. The King and Queen sat together, with Mr. Roosevelt at the Queen's left and Mrs. Roosevelt at the King's right.

More than 2000 people attended the reception to Mr. Roosevelt at the Hotel de Ville, which is the most interesting edifice in Brussels and one of the most beautiful buildings of the kind in Belgium, dating back to the fifteenth century. When the ex-President arrived, a procession, headed by Burgomaster Max, with Mrs. Roosevelt on his arm, was formed. The party then passed through the beautifully decorated salons, being saluted on all sides.

"It has always seemed to me," he said, "that the Belgian people offer one of the great examples of hope presented by any people of the world at the end of the nineteenth century. Flanders was one of the greatest industrial centers of the middle ages. Now you are rivaling and surpassing the work of your ancestors."

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FREIGHT FRANCHISE WITHOUT LIMIT MAY COME BEFORE COURT

That the citizens of Weymouth, Hingham and Quincy should have time to consult the Massachusetts Legislature over the new bridge, which, it says, is needed over the Weymouth Back river on Lincoln street, Hingham, is the gist of the report sent today to Chief of Engineers Brig.-Gen. William Marshall by the local army engineer, Lieut.-Col. Edward Burr.

The report is the result of a public hearing held before Colonel Burr April 8 in the Federal building at which a strong protest against changes involving expense by the citizens of these three places was made.

The navy department asked that the draws in the bridge be widened from 24 to at least 50 feet. The army engineers, the report says, found that automobile traffic was heavy over the bridge. Colonel Burr took this and future conditions into consideration in making his recommendation for a new bridge.

It was ascertained that the navy department could do without the requested changes for the next 18 months and with this in view Colonel Burr recommended the extension of time from Dec. 31, 1910, to at least a year hence.

NEWSPAPER MEN AT ANNUAL FEAST

NEW YORK—Seven hundred newspaper representatives from all over the United States gathered at the Waldorf-Astoria Thursday night to enjoy the annual banquet of the Associated Press and the Newspaper Publishers' Association. N. C. Wright, editor of the Cleveland Leader, was toastmaster and the chief speaker of the evening was Mayor William J. Gaynor. Herman Ridder, president of the Newspaper Publishers' Association, introduced the toastmaster.

City Solicitor Vaughn of Worcester

stated that he was having a trolley franchise drawn up on which the city government of Worcester would take action on May 9. Charles T. Tatman, president of the Worcester Board of Trade, said that the board favored the attitude of the city and was opposed to the action before the railroad commissioners. Both City Solicitor Vaughn and President Dwyer agreed that

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News of the World Told by Cable and Correspondence

STEAMSHIP LINE DISPUTE
NOT DEFINITELY SETTLED

(Special to The Monitor.)
LONDON—The question of the future of the South African shipping trade is attracting considerable attention. Nothing has as yet been stated definitely as to the outcome of the dispute between German and British lines, nor have the terms of the new mail contract been as yet arranged. With regard to the latter question, it is considered highly improbable that the contract will go to any other than the Union & Castle Company. There is another question, however, which is causing some uneasiness. The movement of which Mr. de Wet, minister of agriculture of the Orange River Colony and consequently a large grower of maize, is the leader has been started in South Africa with the object of counteracting the measures taken by the shipping companies, resulting in the increase of freight rates on maize. It is generally accepted fact that the maize industry will in all probability be of the greatest importance to South Africa in the future. The freight charged, however, by the shipping

companies cannot be said to be a paying one. The low rate of \$2.24 ton is eminently satisfactory to the maize exporters but by no means so to the shipping companies. The rate was fixed at this low figure on the recommendation of Sir Donald Currie, the main object being to secure for the industry a good footing in the European markets.

A letter was forwarded recently by the secretary of the South African steam conference to the chairman of the Merchants company which he stated that while the lines have every desire and intention to protect their loyal supporters against lower rates that may be charged by steamers other than those of the British conference line, it is obviously impossible to define beforehand the method of protection which will be adopted.

The secretary of the committee has replied to the effect that while appreciating the assurances given by the conference they do not consider the question settled to their satisfaction.

BRITISH ARTISTS
ENTER PROTEST
TO NEW BRIDGE

(Special to The Monitor.)
LONDON—The scheme for building a new bridge across the Thames and making an approach thereto from the south side of St. Paul's cathedral, is rousing considerable comment in artistic and engineering circles. There is no doubt that the undertaking creates the possibility of a magnificent architectural success or an equally remarkable failure. No doubt if a bridge in any way worthy of the site were constructed, and the approach to the cathedral from the river were made on a proper scale, the scheme would add immensely to the beauty of the capital. English artists, however, have seen so many extraordinary engineering works called bridges erected across the river, that they are a little alarmed at the new prospect.

AT THE THEATERS

BOSTON.
AMERICAN MUSIC HALL—Vaudville.
CASTLE SQUARE—"Rupert of Hentzau."
COLONIAL—"Third Degree."
GLOBE—"Superior."
HOLLIS STREET—"Pillars of Society."
KEITH'S—Vaudville.
MAJESTIC—"Our Beauzaire."
SHUBERT—New Theater company in rep-

ertoire.
Friday evening, "The Winter's Tale."
Saturday afternoon, "School for Scandal."
Sunday evening, "The Nigger."
TREMONT—"The Man Who Owns Broadway."

Boston Opera House.

FRIDAY—Symphony hall, 2:30 p. m., last public rehearsal Boston Symphony orchestra.
SATURDAY—Symphony hall, 8 p. m., last concert, Boston Symphony orchestra.

NEW YORK.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC—Miss Olga Nethen solo in repertoire.

AMERICAN—Vaudville.

ASIAN—Vaudville.

BELANCO—"The Call of the Cricket."

BIJOU—"The Lottery Man."

BROADWAY—"The Jolly Bachelors."

CARNEGIE—"The Poor Soldier."

COLONIAL—Vaudville.

COMEDY—"A Man's World."

CRIMSON—"The Bachelor's Baby."

GAETY—"The Fortune Hunter."

GARRETT—"Father and the Boys."

GLASS—"The Old Town."

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—"Helena Hackett."

HACKETT—"Molly May."

HAROLD—"Vaudville."

HERALD SQUARE—"The Yankee Girl."

HIPPODROME—Spectacles.

HUDSON—"The Spendthrift."

IRVING PLACE—Dramas and operettas in German.

KEITH & PROCTOR'S—Fifth avenue—Knickerbocker—"The Dollar Princess."

LIBERTY—"The Arcadians."

LINE—"The Sunshine."

LYRIC—"The City."

NAZIMOV—"Little Eroy."

NEW AEGEAN—"Madame X."

NEW YORK—"A Skylark."

PLAZA—Vaudville.

REGINA—"The Little City."

WALLACK'S—"Alas Jimmy Valentine."

WEST END—"The Fighting Hope."

CHICAGO.

AMERICAN—Vaudville.

AUDITORIUM—Metropolitan company in grand opera.

CHICAGO OPERA HOUSE—"Alma Wo Wohast Du?"

COLONIAL—"Madame Sherry."

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—"A Gentleman from Mississippi."

HAYMARKET—Vaudville.

LYRIC—"Sister and Marlowe."

MAJESTIC—Vaudville.

SHUBERT—"The Melting Pot."

OLYMPIC—"The Fortune Hunter."

STUDEBAKER—"The Echo."

WHITEHORN—"My Cinderella Girl."

LEIGHFIELD—"The Maid."

INVENTOR MAKES
DEMONSTRATION OF
WIRELESS SYSTEM

(Special to The Monitor.)
LONDON—Another demonstration was given recently of the system of wireless telephony evolved by Mr. Grindell-Matthews to which reference was made some time ago. This system requires neither poles nor high towers, nor Hertzian waves, neither are induction principles employed. The energy, instead of being distributed in all directions at once can be sent out in any given direction. It appears that the system has been somewhat modified since the last demonstration was made; the discoverer of the system claims that communications will be easily maintained between land and a ship in motion or between air vessels and the land, or for the purpose of maintaining communications between moving bodies of troops. Indeed it appears that the system will be valuable in a countless number of ways. The discoverer has already spoken from 7½ miles at sea and he has also maintained communications with a motor car on a track traveling at the rate of 45 miles an hour. It is understood that further experiments are to be carried out in the near future in the Bristol channel.

Save Temple From Ravages of Egyptian Sand

CAIRO—The rock hewn temple of Abu Simbel, which is situated on the banks of the Nile, some miles north of the second cataract, is one of the most magnificent specimens that even the wonderland of Egypt has to show. Built by Rameses the Great about 1400 B. C. to celebrate one of his greatest victories, it is a marvel of colossal conception and construction. It is hewn out of the solid rock to a depth of nearly 200 feet and a height of over 50. The magnificent portico consists chiefly of four colossal seated figures of the Rameses, each 60 feet high. The columns supporting the roof in the interior also consist of gigantic figures of the same gentleman, while the gods, to whom the temple is primarily dedicated, are cast in a somewhat lesser mold. The temple faces due east, and at dawn it is an impressive sight to see the first beam of sunlight piercing the entrance and lighting up the high altar at the western end of the temple. To the ancient Egyptians, who worshipped the sun, the sight must have been awesome in its impressiveness. Recent restorations and repairs have insured this temple against the ravages of time and the desert sand, and it should stand for many centuries to come, a lasting monument to a great king, a great architect, and, one is bound to conclude, a great egotist.

WILL BUY EQUIPMENT.

(Special to The Monitor.)
WELLINGTON—Sanction has been given by the New Zealand government for military equipment to be purchased for the amount of \$250,000. According to the prime minister, Sir Joseph Ward, it will be necessary to spend \$300,000 on equipment in order to put the defense scheme on a working footing, \$175,000 on ammunition, and \$25,000 on stores and magazines.

CITY DESIGNERS
SOON TO COMPETE
FOR NEW CAPITAL

(Special to The Monitor.)

MELBOURNE, Vic.—Arrangements are being made for the compilation of the survey of the federal capital site. It is expected that in about six weeks' time the survey will be completed, after which the competition for the best site for the city will commence. The competition will also include plans for public buildings. It is understood that the first permanent buildings to be erected will be the library and the legislative chambers.

LORD KITCHENER
A FIELD MARSHAL

King Edward Hands Him
Baton at Audience and He
Will Take Charge of the
Mediterranean Forces.

LONDON—King Edward handed Lord Kitchener the baton of field marshal at an audience at Buckingham palace Thursday. The government seems to have decided definitely that Lord Kitchener shall take up the Mediterranean appointment in spite of the popular clamor in favor of placing him at the head of the home forces.

In the House of Commons Richard Burdon Haldane, secretary of state for war, stated that it was proposed that Lord Kitchener should shortly commence his duties as field marshal and commander-in-chief of the Mediterranean with headquarters at Malta.

COST OF WARSHIP
CONSTRUCTION UP

LONDON—The comparison of the respective cost of construction of American and British battleships made by Rear Admiral Bowles, U. S. N., retired, which showed that the former was considerably less, formed the subject of a question put to Reginald McKenna in the House of Commons Thursday. The first lord of the admiralty was unable to say why the cost was lower in the protected country than in free trade England.

In this comparison there is no standard of quality, but speaking of merchant ships, Admiral Bowles admitted that the United States could not compete with British and German firms.

BOSTONIAN HEADS
ROAD FOR MEXICO

HERMOSILLO, Mex.—The Arizona, Mexico & Gulf of California railroad has been incorporated, with Benjamin P. Cheney of Boston as president, to operate a line from a connection with the Southern Pacific in Arizona across the Altar district of Sonora to Port Lober on the Gulf of California, a distance of about 200 miles.

HUNGARIAN LOAN MADE.

(Special to The Monitor.)
MUNICH—M. Isvolsky arrived here a few days ago to join Madame Isvolsky, who is staying with her mother, Countess Toll. The Russian foreign minister is on his way to Frankfort, whence he will travel to Switzerland, returning to Berlin via Munich. When passing through Berlin M. Isvolsky saw no one with the exception of the members of the embassy, and it is said that there is not the slightest ground for supposing that the Russian foreign minister will meet the German chancellor during his travels.

COLLIERY STRIKE CALLED OFF.

SYDNEY, N. S.—The strike in the Cape Breton colliery districts has been called off by the United Mine Workers of America. It began July 6, 1909.

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Experimental Work Done by Coach Stagg of Chicago Expected to Play an Important Part.

AT PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA—For the third time this year the football rules committee will meet to consider what changes shall be made in the code as it existed in 1909. Six changes have already been made and any others that may be enacted will not in any way affect those already passed. The sessions are being held at the home of the University Club.

Since the last meeting of the committee on April 26 the larger colleges, notably Chicago, Harvard and Yale, have devoted considerable time in trying out the changes already made with a view to seeing what effect they will have on the game, as well as giving some light on what further changes may be made. This has been especially true in Chicago, where Coach A. A. Stagg, an old Yale graduate, has had two elevens in practice trying out the ideas which Walter Camp gave at the previous meeting of the committee.

Most of the discussion will relate to the forward pass. Coach Stagg stands as the champion of the forward pass in a slightly modified form, which he believes will give it a greater popularity than ever before on college gridirons. After more extensive experiments than those made by the other coaches he goes before his fellow committee members with a notebook full of reasons why the forward pass should be retained.

Followers of the game are looking for a number of new rules. Two matters that have not yet been touched and certainly should receive attention if the game is going to be made less objectionable are the penalizing of a runner crawling with the ball as well as an opposing player jumping on another after he has been downed.

Other possible changes are the abolishing of the kickoff for the purpose of avoiding collisions, allowing a player to enter the game again after having been removed, cutting out the goal after touchdowns as an unfair feature, making the value of a drop kick more than that of a place kick in order to put a premium on drop kicking, and calling the ball down whenever the man with the ball touches the ground with any part of his person other than his feet and one hand.

The six rules already passed have weakened the offense, and it will be the effort of the committee to remedy this. No matter which forward pass faction wins the offense will be strengthened.

BOWDOIN WINS FROM NORWICH

NORTHFIELD, Vt.—In one of the most hotly contested games of the season Bowdoin defeated Norwich, 10 to 9. Norwich outplayed Bowdoin after the firstinning, and lost chiefly because of disaster in that period, when the visitors secured five runs. The Norwich players proved themselves good run-savers and overcame their opponents' long lead by steady game.

The score stood 9 to 7 in favor of the home team at the end of the seventh inning. Bowdoin made a desperate rally in the eighth and tied the score, and another run in the ninth gave them the lead. With the bases full and two out Earle drove out a long fly which was saved by Brooks in right field, saving Bowdoin from certain defeat.

The features were the all-round-playing of Gordon and Murray in the infield for Norwich and the plucky playing of Purinton, the Bowdoin center fielder, who continued in the game after sustaining painful injuries. The score:

Bowdoin..... 5 1 0 0 0 0 2 1 - 10 11 6
Norwich..... 1 1 0 1 0 2 4 0 - 9 10 2

Batteries, Seftord, Davis and Wilson; Berry and Murray. Umpire, Smith.

TECH RELAY TEAM LEAVES.

Technology's one-mile relay team left this morning for Philadelphia where they meet Syracuse University tomorrow at the Pennsylvania relay games. The men taken on the trip were Coach Frank M. Kanaly, Capt. William C. Salisbury, Leonard O. Mills '11, Peter D. White '11, Richard H. Gould '11 and Harvey S. Benson '12, substitute and manager. The race was originally intended to be a three-cornered affair between Technology, Wesleyan and Syracuse, but the Wesleyan entry has been withdrawn on account of a dual meet, and so far no opponent has been substituted. Tech and Tech will now have a chance to prove which has the better team.

NEW ENGLAND LEAGUE STANDING

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New Bedford	4	1	.800
Lawrence	3	2	.750
Lowell	2	2	.666
Fall River	2	3	.400
Worcester	2	3	.400
Haverhill	2	3	.400
Lynn	2	3	.400
Brockton	1	3	.250

Thursday's Games.

Haverhill 5, New Bedford 3.
Lowell 10, Lawrence 2.
Lawrence 7, Worcester 4.
Lynn 2, Fall River 2.

Entered in Relay Races



WASHINGTON WINS FROM BOSTON IN AN EXTRA-INNING GAME

New York Takes One From the Athletics and Moves up Into the Second Place in Standing.

THE DETROITS SCORE

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.		
Winnipeg	6	.2750
Chicago	7	.2500
New York	8	.2375
Philadelphia	7	.2000
Cincinnati	3	.3333
Boston	3	.3333
Baltimore	3	.2727
St. Louis	8	.2000

Thursday's Games.
Brooklyn 10, Boston 3.
New York 5, Philadelphia 2 (12 innings).
Pittsburgh 5, Cincinnati 2.
Chicago 2, St. Louis 1.

Games Today.
Brooklyn at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.
St. Louis at Chicago.

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WASHINGTON WINS CLOSE GAME.

WASHINGTON—Boston lost to Washington Thursday, 2 to 1, in a 12-inning game. Both Johnson and Collins pitched good ball and the game was a close battle from beginning to end. The score:

Innings..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R. H.E.
New York..... 2 0 2 3 0 0 0 0 0 - 7 9 2
Philadelphia..... 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 0 - 5 4

Batteries, Ford and Sweeney; Coombs, Dugert and Thomas and Lapp. Umpires, Dunn and Connolly.

N. Y. OUTPLAYS PHILADELPHIA.

NEW YORK—The New York Americans outplayed the Philadelphiaans Thursday and defeated them, 7 to 3, in a game featured by Ford's pitching and Wolter's hitting. The score:

Innings..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R. H.E.
New York..... 2 0 2 3 0 0 0 0 0 - 7 9 2
Philadelphia..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 - 1 1 4

Batteries, Johnson and Street; Collins and Carrigan. Umpires, Evans and Egan.

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DETROIT HAS EASY VICTORY.

DETROIT—An easy victory was achieved Thursday by Detroit, which won 7 to 1 over St. Louis. Bailey was hit hard and his support was indifferent, while Mullin allowed but four hits. Mullin drove in the first two runs for his team with a triple in the third inning. The score:

Innings..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R. H.E.
Detroit..... 0 0 3 3 0 1 0 0 0 - 7 10 1
St. Louis..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 - 9 3

Batteries, Mullin and Stanage; Bailey, Sremmel and Stephens. Umpires, Perrine and O'Loughlin.

While the undergraduates in general expect to see Cornell showing up better than generally expected in the coming meets, they realize that even a coach of Moakley's ability cannot make a championship squad out of the material at hand this year. The loss of L. F. Talbot and E. C. Cook cannot be made up this season.

Although it is a far cry to 1911, the outlook for a strong team that year is very encouraging. The present freshman class has one of the most promising lot of track candidates that has appeared at Ithaca in some time, and it is expected that Trainer Moakley will have little difficulty in developing a number of point-winners from its ranks.

DARTMOUTH WINS EXCITING GAME

HANOVER, N. H.—The Dartmouth baseball team won the third game of its season Thursday, defeating Lafayette by 4 to 3. It took 11 innings to accomplish this, however. Poor base-running and errors by the visitors lost them the game. The pitching on both sides was good. Lafayette making seven hits and Dartmouth six.

The first run was made by Dartmouth in the first inning and was the result of sacrifice hits and a base on balls. Not until the eighth were any more runs made, the visitors then earning one.

In the tenth two more were made by Lafayette on hits by Kelley and Lemott, the latter making a two-bagger. Dartmouth then came to bat and tied the score. Coggins and Norton making singles in this inning. A hit by Chadbourn in the next inning allowed Hoban to come home, closing the most exciting game at Hanover in years.

Demott made one of the longest drives ever hit here and would have scored a home run had he not been called out for touching third.

Innings..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 R. H.E.
Dartmouth..... 1 2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 - 5 7 4
Lafayette..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 3 - 7 4

Batteries, Eckstrom, Gammone and Chadbourn; Foger and Matson. Umpires, O'Reilly.

MORE RELEASES AND CONTRACTS

NEW YORK—President Thomas J. Lynch of the National league has promulgated the following releases and contracts:

Contracts—With New York, F. J. Klein, A. Torrey, with Philadelphia, J. F. Castle.
Releases—By Boston to St. Paul (A. J. F. R. Liese); by Cincinnati to Louisville (A. McLean); by Louisville to New York to Montreal (E. L.); by Klemmer to New York to Newark (E. L.); E. J. Kleber; by New York to Dallas (T. L.); C. P. Moran; by Philadelphia to Rochester (E. L.); Otto Deininger.

PATHFINDER LEAVES DECATUR.

DECATUR, Tex.—The Chalmers "30," official pathfinder for the 1910 Glidden tour, left here this morning for Oklahoma City. W. R. Gruno '12 has been chosen assistant manager.

NORTON WRESTLING MANAGER.

NEW YORK—R. C. Norton '11 has been elected manager of the Columbia

wrestling team. W. R. Gruno '12 has been chosen assistant manager.

CONCORD SCHOOL TO HAVE AN EIGHT

Middlesex Will Not Only Have Regular Four, but Is to Have Larger Crew for First Time.

CONCORD, Mass.—Middlesex school will be represented by another fast four-oared crew this spring. This school has lost but one race in the last three years, defeating all the best crews from the Boston Interscholastic Rowing Association and winning from the Harvard freshman four in 1908 and 1909. Owing to faculty restrictions all races with Boston schools must be rowed on Bateman's pond, Concord, and since no return matches are allowed on the Charles, no races are scheduled with the city crews this season.

F. H. Trumbull '10 of Salem is stroking the crew for the second year. Behind him, at 3, L. O. Mills '10 of Portland, Ore., a new man of much promise, is doing excellent work. W. F. Trumbull, Jr., '11 of Salem, a veteran of last year's championship crew, is again at 2, and is the most powerful oar in the boat. R. D. Walker '10 of Malden is showing good form at bow and A. Cameron '12 of Weston is a light and capable coxswain. R. H. Howe, Jr., an old Harvard coxswain, is again coaching the crew, assisted by graduates prominent in rowing at Harvard today.

For the first time in Middlesex rowing

an eight will be formed and will meet one of the freshman crews on the Charles.

RATIONAL GOLF BY JASON ROGERS.

A proposition to hold an annual competition only open to professionals' assistants, club makers and apprentices, is meeting with a very popular reception in England just now. The scheme has been proposed for the purpose of encouraging a class from which the great professionals of the future will probably come, and who seldom get a chance to participate in an open championship. In the first place they can seldom get away when the professional is off duty and in the second place they seldom can afford the expense of a futile effort to gain cash rewards in competition with the topnotch professionals.

The professional himself needs not to be told that the ranks of apprentices and assistants include many fine golfers, says Golf Illustrated in speaking of the proposed competition. Amateurs who are in the habit of playing on many different greens, and who are wise enough to know when to take out one of the local professional's men or boys for a match, are no less alive to the fact that there is a wealth of good golf blushing more or less unseen in the professional's shop.

In many cases, no doubt, the talent eventually comes to light and brings its possessor an adequate reward. But it is conceivable that in some cases the golf skill of the assistant suffers from lack of exercise, or pines for want of public competition. The assistant, may it be, gets plenty of opportunity for playing, but he is not always fortunate enough in getting the right sort of play. The benefits which he confers upon the amateur who takes him out are, we imagine, not always reciprocated. A competition such as is proposed by our correspondents would provide just the kind of golf which the assistant requires to improve his own game if he be a moderate player, and to bring him before the public eye if he be, as many are, a fine player. Such a competition might be the means of producing what recent years have not succeeded in giving us—a boy champion, a "Young Tom" of the twentieth century.

With the cooperation of the Professional Golfers Association, which is already promised, the competition would be assured of a favorable start, and it would only need the support of the assistants themselves to make it an instant success.

That this latter desideratum—the support of the assistants—would depend upon the attitude of their employers, must of course be taken into account; but I anticipate no difficulty here. On the contrary, I can see the professionals taking an keen interest in the competition as the assistants, and fired with the hope of securing the "assistants' championship" for their own establishment—to say nothing of the bonus which the promoters offer to the professional who brings out the winner.

The Professional Golfers Association, in its zeal for the welfare of the professional, neglects no member of the professional body, but for obvious reasons the competitions which it promotes or conducts are primarily intended for the full-blown professional who depends, as a general rule in these days, more upon his play than his clubmaking capacity for a livelihood.

The assistant, who may be presumed

to be learning his trade, and at the same time acquiring what skill he can in the playing of the game, is not regarded as having the same urgent need of competitive golf as his master.

At the same time, seeing that the assistant is the master in embryo, and that he will some day blossom into the full-blown professional, the opinion may not unreasonably be expressed that what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander—or, to put the matter in another form, that the playing side of the assistant's career should be developed concurrently with the other side.

With competition all to themselves, endowed with a liberal prize fund, and superintended by so energetic and ex-

NEW YORK BEATS PHILADELPHIA IN TWELVE INNINGS

Brooklyn Finds Boston Easy Victim in Second Game of Series—Pittsburg Is Also Victorious.

CHICAGO A WINNER

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.		
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BRIEF NEWS AROUND AND ABOUT THE STATE

WEYMOUTH.

The Old Colony Club at its annual meeting Thursday elected: President, Mrs. Sarah S. Howe; vice-presidents, Mrs. Mabel G. Cook and Mrs. Mary S. Attwood; recording secretary, Mrs. Alice B. Wagner; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Parmelia G. Webber; treasurer, Mrs. Gertrude M. Easterbrook; directors, Miss Frances A. Wheeler, Mrs. Jennie E. Richardson, Mrs. Anna Thomas, Mrs. Mary E. Hollbrook and Mrs. Mary W. Barnes; auditors, Mrs. Mabel Poole and Miss Minnie B. Joy; custodian, Miss Florence H. Howe. There were readings by Miss Lucile Jones.

A piano recital was given by Alvah G. Salmon in the First Methodist Episcopal church Thursday evening before a large audience.

The Rev. Emery L. Bradford, who has resigned the East Weymouth Congregational church, and Mrs. Bradford, were given a reception in the church parlors Thursday evening. Mr. Bradford was presented with a solid silver tray by Deacon C. B. Cushing for the congregation.

WHITMAN.

The Whitman Woman's Club has elected: President, Mrs. Mary A. Atwood; vice-presidents, Mrs. Mary E. Charles, Mrs. Tema E. Viele; recording secretary, Mrs. Mattie M. Jenkins; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Mildred A. Bradford; treasurer, Mrs. Allie A. Snow; auditor, Mrs. Ella J. Simmons; custodian, Mrs. Lucy A. Whidden; directors for three years, Mrs. Mellie B. Howard, Mrs. Jennie C. Lincoln.

The David A. Russell W. R. C. will illustrate their work at Grand Army hall June 21 in the presence of department officers and delegations from neighboring corps.

The Woman's League is holding a consecration meeting this afternoon in the Congregational church.

Two new baseball leagues have been organized, one from the grammar school teams and the other from various church teams. A meeting of the church league will be held this evening to arrange for the opening of the season.

HANOVER.

The Philharmonic Club has elected: President, Dr. Charles Hammond; vice-president, Wallis Corbin; secretary, Miss Ina Tower; treasurer, Harold Lingham; music committee, Mrs. W. S. Packard, Miss Winifred Hunt, Miss Evelyn Severance; executive committee, Mrs. Hattie E. Henderson, Mrs. Bertha Turner, Miss Gladys Tolman, Miss Lydia Phillips, Arthur Dyer; musical director, Wesley Severance. The club is preparing the cantata, "The Building of the Ship."

The South Hanover Athletic Association held a whist party and dance last evening.

The Nelson Lowell camp, Sons of Veterans, will present their burlesque, "Under the Palm Trees," in the music hall at Scituate center Saturday evening.

The Joseph E. Wilder W. R. C. will hold a sock social this evening.

WAKEFIELD.

Steps will be taken by the selectmen to induce the Boston & Northern street railway to widen Water street and double-track it as provided by the plans of the county commissioners. In this way it is hoped to save a large sum from the highway expenditures.

The Baraca Club of the Y. M. C. A. will give a reception and entertainment Monday evening to the ladies of the auxiliary who have provided suppers for the club meetings.

The Improvement Association will take up the matter of the plots of improved land at the intersection of a number of streets in town which have been laid out in gardens and planted with shrubbery by citizens. Later they will be designated and probably turned over to the care of the park commissioners.

Lieut. Herbert G. Leete of Hose 3, W. F. D., will ask a hearing from the board of fire engineers and possibly from the selectmen. His discharge as a lieutenant of the company was made public Thursday afternoon. No reason was given.

NEWTON.

The Social Science Club has chosen its officers for the year, each vice-president holding a two months' term of office as president: Vice-presidents, Mrs. H. Powers, Mrs. Walcott Calkins, Mrs. Cornelius Patten, Mrs. Francis E. Stanley, Mrs. Sterling Elliott, Mrs. Joseph L. Colby; recording secretary, Mrs. Louis F. Drake; corresponding secretary, Mrs. James F. Bothfield; treasurer, Mrs. H. K. Hobart; auditor, Mrs. George Angier; directors, Mrs. C. O. Tucker, Mrs. H. I. Harriman, Mrs. H. L. Pickernell, Mrs. W. F. Garcelon, Mrs. George Angier.

RANDOLPH.

The marriage of John V. Beal and Miss Edith A. Belcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Belcher, will take place May 10.

An entertainment was given in the Stetson High School Thursday evening by the class of '11. The drama "West of Omaha" was presented. In the cast were Ellis H. Mann, Florence J. Raddan, Richard A. Barrett, Charles G. Devine, Blanche C. Marcille, Margaret A. Strickland and Elizabeth M. Sheehan. Others taking part were Miss Margaret C. Dillon, Miss Anna V. Morgan, Miss Alberta Wales and Miss Doris H. Burrell.

HOLBROOK.

The Embroidery Club was entertained by Miss Mary O'Neil Thursday evening. Miss Alice Hemmeway of Brookline gave a talk on "Eyelet Embroidery."

The Garfield baseball team defeated the West Ends Thursday afternoon 5 to 2.

MIDDLEBORO.

The Middleboro Cooperative Bank has nominated the following to be voted for at the annual meeting next week: President, Warren H. Southworth; vice-president, Alvin C. Howe; secretary and treasurer, Walter L. Beals; directors, Charles N. Atwood, Cornelius H. Leonard, Zenas H. Phinney, Edmund S. Russell, Henry W. Sears, Dennis D. Sullivan, Albert A. Thomas, Allerton Thompson, Chester E. Weston, Edwin F. Witham, Lorenzo Wood.

The work on the new state highway from near the state farm in Bridgewater to this town is nearly completed. When finished it will be one of the best roads in this section.

The annual ladies' night of the Men's Club of the Unitarian church was held last evening. A banquet was followed by an entertainment.

The annual roll call of the Central Baptist church will be held this evening in the church. There will also be a banquet.

EVERETT.

Franklin Lodge, A. O. U. W. will give a reception May 15 to the bowling team which recently captured the pennant in the intercity series.

The first of a series of hearings by the special committee on charter revision will be given in the city hall Wednesday evening, May 4. Delegates from several of the men's clubs will propose changes from the present charter. Among the most important of these delegations is the one from the board of trade which has had the subject of charter revision under consideration for some time. It is believed that a large reduction in the size of the legislative branch of the city will be one of the principal points urged by the board of trade and men's clubs.

The Men's Club of Grace church will hold its final meeting in June, when ladies' night will be observed. A committee consisting of C. A. Suter, E. N. Harvey and Edward Grant, will arrange an entertainment and banquet.

BROCKTON.

The citizens of Brockton Heights have invited the members of Fletcher Webster Post, G. A. R., kindred organizations and members of the city government to breakfast at the Hancock engine house hall on the morning of Memorial day.

The Mendelsohn Club's annual election Thursday resulted: President, Miss Winifred Nye; vice-president, Miss Marion Reynolds; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Louise McDonald Ross; moderator, Mrs. Louise F. Howard. The club will take an annual outing to Glen Echo Park June 7.

The Knights of King Arthur will give an entertainment this evening at Campello. The members will take a May walk Sunday morning to West Bridgewater and Cochesett.

The coal dealers of Brockton held a banquet at Young's hotel, Boston, Thursday afternoon.

LEOMINSTER.

The selectmen have refused to grant sixth class licenses this year to drug-gists.

Representative Frank H. Pope of this town is looked upon as the probable Democratic candidate for the House of Representatives next fall in the fourth district. He is now serving his third term in the House.

The W. C. T. U. have prepared exercises for Arbor day this afternoon at Carter Park. Trees will be set out and there will be singing and speaking by the children, an original poem recited by Mrs. Nellie G. Stone and an address made by Dr. A. A. Wheeler. W. H. Kenney has been training a chorus of 60 voices from the Field grammar school for the occasion.

MALDEN.

Acting Chief of Police T. J. Foley Thursday evening assigned Sergt. Ulah Gray, appointed Tuesday evening by the mayor, to street duty during the night time. Sergeant Johnson will have charge of the station at night during May and each of the three sergeants will be in the station in rotation during the remainder of the year. The change in the department will shift five officers and result in the appointment of another regular officer from the reserve force.

The Kernwood Ladies' Society has elected the following officers: President, Mrs. D. P. Green; vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Knowlton; treasurer, Mrs. John F. Neal. The next meeting will be held in September.

BRIDGEWATER.

The Village Improvement Association has appointed a committee composed of Mrs. Mary Aldrich, Miss Elizabeth Revere, Mrs. A. S. Savery, Mrs. Emma McNeel, Miss Carrie Cole, the Rev. J. J. Ferrelley, Rev. H. G. Arnold, the Rev. George S. Wheeler, A. H. Hobart, Mrs. Edwin Keith, Miss Rachel Crocker and Miss Clara Prince, to can-
vass for members.

A petition is being circulated throughout the town asking for the reappointment of Charles A. Wilbar as postmaster. His term will expire Saturday.

Bridgewater post, G. A. R., will observe "Mothers day" May 8 at the town hall.

WALTHAM.

The Immanuel Methodist church will hold its quarterly conference this evening.

The men's classes of the free reading room gymnasium will hold a competition this evening.

The Alumni Association of the high school will have its annual May party tonight in aid of the association scholarship fund.

MELROSE.

Returns just filed by the assessors show that the city population has increased 67 during the past 11 months, making the total number of residents of the city 15,313. The greatest gain in population is seen in Ward 7, where there are 194 new inhabitants. Last year's greatest gain was in Ward 2, which this year shows a slight decrease, but still remains the largest in the city with 2520 residents and 760 legal voters. The assessed polls in the city number 4414 this year, a decrease from last year of 24. The assessors commenced listing the personal property and polls April 1 this year whereas they have heretofore been listed May 1, and it is believed that the increase would have been much larger in another month.

The annual election of officers of the Melrose Women's Club will be held Thursday afternoon. As neither of the two vice-presidents will be able to succeed to the presidency owing to other plans, there will probably be a contest for the head of the ticket.

A movement is on foot to make the auditorium a revenue-producing hall, instead of granting its use at reduced rates and causing annual deficits.

EAST BRIDGEWATER.

The Busy Bee will hold a whist party at Satucket hall Saturday.

The Philharmonic orchestra gave a concert Thursday evening in the Union Congregational church. Those taking part included Miss Edna R. Armstrong, George Mills, Ralph Leach and M. Clinton Eason.

BROOKLINE.

Clarence A. Huston has been appointed prelate and George F. Martin inner guard of the Aspinwall Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

On Thursday the annual exhibition of handwork and drawings will be held in the high school.

The high school baseball team plays Hyde Park high this afternoon. Saturday the team will visit Pomfret, Conn., and meet the high school nine.

Building permits have been issued for the construction of seven brick and stone three-apartment houses on Pleasant street, for Frank M. Sramans, trustee, of Brookline.

NEEDHAM.

An illustrated lecture "From Sunny Italy to the North End," describing the trials of an immigrant, was given in the First Baptist church Thursday evening, by the Rev. George Mecklenburg of Boston.

The adoption of a level water rate for all consumers at the last town meeting has hit the local manufacturers, in some cases doubling and even trebling the cost of their water. The William Carter Company has begun the installation of an independent water supply.

EASTON.

A teachers' institute is being held today at Ames Memorial hall.

Framat Lodge will hold its May basket day at Kelley's hall May 7.

Miss Mary S. Ames, Winthrop Ames and Mrs. John S. Ames have offered prizes to adults and children who have the best looking flower and vegetable gardens and front yards in town this summer. The prizes are offered through Easton grange, Patrons of Husbandry, and are to the value of \$25 in each class.

Allen S. Williams of New York will give an illustrated lecture on "Lion Taming and Wild Animal Training" in the Y. M. C. A. hall Friday evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Atlantic Methodist Episcopal church held an entertainment and sale Thursday evening.

The Wollaston American Benefit Society will hold a May basket party and dance in Braeser hall Tuesday evening.

ROCKLAND.

Hatherly Lodge, I. O. G. T., has elected: Chief templar, Charles Mabee; vice-chief templar, Nellie M. Spurr; financial secretary, Hattie Smith; treasurer, Emma Burgess; marshal, George Smith, superintendent of juvenile temple, Luke Smith; assistant secretary, Eloise Dyer; deputy marshal, William McNamara.

Old Colony Lodge, Knights of Pythias, conferred the rank of page on several candidates Thursday evening.

The Wednesday Whist Club was the guest of Arthur Thompson Thursday afternoon.

A mock trial will be held in the Rockland opera house under the auspices of the Brotherhood of the First Congregational church Monday evening.

PEMBROKE.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Bryantville fire department attended an entertainment Thursday evening in the new engine house hall, given by the Unity Club of Whitman.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church will hold a social and supper in the vestry of the church this evening.

Mrs. Wesley Keene entertained the Wampatuck Sewing Circle at a rubber social Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ober Foss, who have been spending the winter in Florida, will occupy a cottage at Big Sandy pond this season.

FITCHBURG.

The Cambridge A. team will play the Cooperatives of this city Saturday afternoon on the Circle street grounds.

The mothers of the Ministering Children's League of Christ church will have their annual tea in the parish house Saturday afternoon. The last meeting of the league this year will be held Monday at 6:45 p. m., when an entertainment will be given to the children.

The Good Will Club of the Universalist church will hold a May basket sale in the vestry this afternoon and evening.

WESTWOOD.

Ernest W. Calkins, who has just been appointed postmaster, will resign from the board of selectmen as soon as his nomination is confirmed by the Senate.

Mrs. Lewis A. Richards will open an afternoon nursery at her home on Adams street Monday next.

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ABINGTON.

The men's classes of the free reading room gymnasium will hold a competition this evening.

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BEVERLY.

The common council named a special committee Thursday night to confer with the Salem water board in relation to the reissue of permits for fishing and boating at Wenham lake. The annual Fourth of July order was for \$500 presented by Councilman Hammond. The council passed an order for the taking of a portion of the city farm property for a public playground. Councilman Johnson offered an order for two public bathhouses at the foot of Webber avenue.

A meeting of the managers and captains of the Beverly grammar school league will be held Monday afternoon.

The Farms school has applied for admission to the league and will be represented by Miss Wilhelmina Patterson, principal of the school.

Mizpah commandery, Knights of Malta, entertained the past commanders' association Thursday evening. There were about 75 visitors present including Past Grand Commander Campbell and Grand Recorder Wilson. Commander C. Knowles spoke.

Bass River Lodge of Odd Fellows will observe the ninety-first anniversary with a ladies' night and entertainment this evening.

There are 3335 pupils enrolled in the Beverly public schools according to statistics compiled by Miss Maria Peirce of the school department. There are 1600 boys and 1735 girls. The Hardie school has 569 pupils; the South 508, and Centerville 53. The high school has 586, of which 365 are girls and 221 boys.

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MR. BALLINGER GOES ON STAND TO DETAIL ALASKA COAL DEALS

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that might embarrass him. He declared he did not even know there was any such group as the "Cunningham claims" at the time he took the commissionership. Subsequently, he said, he learned that several persons with whom he was acquainted were claimants.

He named half a dozen of these, but said he did not know Clarence Cunningham.

"I had no interests in Alaska in any lands, either directly or indirectly," he asserted. "And I have not any today."

Secretary Ballinger said that he had heard favorably of H. K. Love, formerly a special agent, but that his hearsay knowledge of H. T. Jones, another special agent, was "not entirely favorable." Mr. Love was a witness for Secretary Ballinger at the hearing, while Mr. Jones appeared for the "prosecution," and gave testimony distinctly unfavorable to the secretary. The witness said Mr. Jones was guilty of "knocking."

Secretary Ballinger then gave the "lie direct" to Mr. Glavis. Mr. Vertrees asked about the conference which Mr. Glavis had with him in December, 1907.

"Glavis makes the wilful and deliberate misstatement in his testimony here, that we talked over the Alaska cases and that I mentioned several persons," said Mr. Ballinger. "That is a woeful and deliberate lie."

Explaining his "clear listing" of the Cunningham claims, as commissioner, in January, 1908, the witness said that he and Chief of the Field Division Schwartz looked over Mr. Love's report, made Aug. 2, 1907, and decided that it was favorable to the patenting of the claims, there being no protest in the records.

"I wish to say right here," the witness interjected, "that I believe that those claims should have been clear listed on the record in the department. If I were called upon now to pass on the claims, with the same record before me, I would order that they be clear listed."

"I assume all responsibility for clearing these claims. I never had a single one of the Cunningham claimants as client. I had no interest in the cases in any way."

Secretary Ballinger denied that Mr. Glavis had ever said to him that the Love report, on which the Cunningham claims were clear listed, was unreliable. He said his appearance before the House committee in favor of the Cale bill, which provided for the sale of the coal lands, on a gradual scale, instead of their leasing, was with the approval of President Roosevelt. He said Mr. Roosevelt told him at one time when the secretary showed him his annual report favoring this system:

"Well, when Garfield and Pinchot see that, they will go up to the roof, but I guess the roof is strong enough to hold them."

CITY DEPARTMENT REPORTS ARE OUT

The Cambridge park commission's annual report, issued today, recommends that the metropolitan park commission be given control of the Cambridge side of the Charles river basin; also that material taken from the subway be used to fill in low places on the Cambridge shore. Superintendent of Parks John Donnelly reports that the Washington elm is in good condition and likely to survive for many years.

Chief of Police Pullen in his report asks that the city building in Central square, containing police headquarters be remodeled.

The report of the water board urges that an expert be employed to consider utilizing the water in the Charles river basin for street watering, fire protection and manufacturing purposes. The report also calls attention to the fact that \$488,000 worth of water bonds will mature this year, which means a great saving in interest and sinking fund requirements. The water board believes that the water rate should be reduced.

NEWTON SUES ON BOND VALIDITY. A bill was brought today in the Suffolk superior court by the Newton Savings Bank against State Treasurer Elmer A. Stevens, seeking to have the court determine the status of two \$5000 bonds, the validity of title of which has been questioned by Mr. Stevens.

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BOSTON UNIVERSITY GAMMA DELTA ROOM.

Newly furnished quarters of college society where the farewell reception of President Huntington takes place today. The painting seen in the illustration is "The Pilgrims' First Sunday in America," by Elizabeth Gardner, for which \$6000 was paid.



BOSTON UNIVERSITY JUNIOR PROMENADE COMMITTEE.

From left to right—Harry G. Grimes, Miss Jane Johnnot and Albert J. Dow.

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L. Perrin, William F. Griffin, Carl Springfield and Russell Hatch. On the junior prom committee are Chairman Albert J. Dow, Henry Grimes, Jane Johnnot, Elizabeth Kimpton, May Springfield and William Griffin.

The fact that the assembly room of the Gamma Delta had been completely fitted with furniture, hangings and pictures was a big surprise to the students.

The apartment is to be known as the "Gamma Delta room," taking the name from the society, to which every Boston University girl is eligible. The formal opening of the room will take place this afternoon, when President and Mrs. Huntington give their farewell reception.

About two months ago it began to be whispered abroad that a committee of wives of faculty members, consisting of Mrs. William E. Huntington, chairman, Mrs. William F. Warren, Mrs. James Geddes, Jr., and Mrs. Foy Spenser Baldwin, had set themselves to furnish this large room on the ground floor facing the Lenox. Several entertainments were given for the benefit of the Gamma Delta fund, but it was not until last week that the young women suspected the work was so near completion. The furnishings have been chosen with such exquisite taste as to surprise even the most sanguine.

The color scheme is in soft browns, and gives the effect of perpetual sunshine. The walls and ceiling are painted a pale yellow; the portieres and overhangings are a rich golden brown material with tapestry borders; the Axminster rugs are warm fawns and browns. The furniture is Flemish oak. An air of substantiability and quiet elegance pervades the room and the soft, rich colors increase

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MR. DRAPER FAVORS A SPECIAL BOARD TO SETTLE MILK FIGHT

Governor Draper in a public statement given out this afternoon recommended the appointment of a conference board to settle the milk situation in New England. He stated that he believed that the farmers are willing to arbitrate, and in a matter of such importance, opportunity for arbitration should be promptly arranged.

A canvass today of the large milk contractors of Boston shows that they are not disturbed by the notice which is being sent to producers throughout New England and New York by the Boston Milk Producers' Association relative to cutting off the supply sent daily to Boston. The contractors are unanimous in their assertion that they will take care of all their customers after May 1 as D. Whiting of D. Whiting & Sons, speaking today on the present aspect of the milk situation, said: "We are not giving in to the demands of the association because we believe that they are excessive. The contractors in Boston are now paying the producers winter prices during the months of April and September in addition to the regular winter period months. This makes only four months during which they get the lower price. They never got winter prices for more than six months before; now they are getting them for eight. You can say for our company that it will have plenty of milk for its customers after May 1."

It was said at the office of H. P. Hood & Co. that as far as could be seen the firm would be able to take care of all its customers during the summer months to come as during the past. The Hood company, it was said, is now paying the producers winter prices for eight months in the year.

William A. Graustein of Graustein & Co. said: "I can guarantee that all my customers will get their usual supply. I have not yielded to this demand made by the producers because I do not think it is right. We have already made an agreement with them by which they will get 2 1/2 cents more than they have ever got on an average for the six months of the summer period. The producers and the public seem to have lost sight of this."

John Alden, manager for the Oak Grove Farm Company, said: "We expect to have enough milk after May 1 to supply our customers as usual. There is always more milk in sight in New England and New York around the first of May than at any other time of the year, so that even if the farmers do stop shipping milk to Boston on this date there is no fear of embarrassment. If the supply of milk in Boston falls low we can draw on New York where there is always a big surplus at this time of year."

"Several of the large milk dealers in Boston are receiving more milk than they need for their customers. The excess is made into butter and cheese. If their supply is cut down considerably they still have enough for their customers."

About 300 Boston milk dealers and proprietors of stores in which milk is retailed met at the American house Thursday evening by invitation of the Independent Milk Dealers' Association, and protested against the proposed abolition of dip tanks in stores and protested even more vehemently against the milk law—or order—which the Boston board of health desires to enforce.

It was claimed that the new law would require the small shop keeper to lay in a large supply of milk bottles at a considerable expense and that the cost of building and maintaining a refrigerating plant necessary to keep hundreds of bottles of milk cool would eat up all the profit derived.

HARVARD TO BUILD NEW BUILDING FOR GERMANIC MUSEUM

The Boston Common, a weekly newspaper, made its first appearance today. This paper is to be published every Saturday by the Cooperative Publishing Company of 18 King Street, and will be sold for 5 cents.

The editor is Edward H. Clement, for years editor of the Boston Transcript, and the executive committee consists of President Ralph Albertson, Treasurer William E. Butler, Secretary Alexander M. Wilson, Robert Treat Paine Jr., and Charles M. Cabot.

The contents for this week's issue include news of the week with articles on the Parkman fund; Theodore N. Vail as the new trustee of the Art Museum; a society to preserve historical memories; gold and the cost of living; Governor Hughes and the supreme court, and various other topics of American and European interest. There is also an article on the milk situation in Boston and several pages follow on current legislation. After this come a few pages of New England notes.

SEEKS TO ENJOIN RAILROAD.

CHICAGO—John C. Fetzer is seeking to enjoin the Chicago & Western Indiana railroad from collecting \$25,000, which he was ordered to pay by a court referee following an investigation of fraud and graft charges made against himself and two associates.

HOPE TO SAVE MINNEHAHA.

NEW YORK—Advices received by the American Transport line bring the news that there is a good opportunity to save the steamship Minnehaha, which went ashore off the Scilly Islands April 18. It may be necessary to cut the vessel in two, however.

COLUMBUS HAS CAR RIOTS.

COLUMBUS, O.—Rioting today followed the attempt of the local street car company to break the strike started by the recently organized union. No arrests were made.

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Fine Building for Engineering Clubs

Architects complete ideal design of edifice for several societies of Boston.



ARCHITECTS' SKETCH FOR PROPOSED ENGINEERS' CLUBHOUSE FOR CITY OF BOSTON.

Picture shows what several societies of New England agree upon as a building satisfying their needs. Plans are subject to modification according to site to be chosen.

DESIGNS of the proposed club building for permanent headquarters and convention auditoriums for many societies of civil engineers and kindred associations in New England have been completed by architects Wheelwright & Haven. These designs are ideal rather than perfected plans, as the site of the building has not been yet decided upon and its character may necessitate changes.

This subject has been under discussion for some time and a committee consisting of representatives from some of the leading engineering organizations in New England chosen in March is at work on the project of bringing such societies together under one roof. The committee will meet again next Wednesday evening.

The proposed building, it is said, will cost about \$1,500,000, and a site between Park square and Copley square, facing on two streets, is favored by the Boston Society of Civil Engineers.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

The large four-story brick building occupied by various businesses, at 524 to 530 Harrison avenue, near Randolph street, has been purchased by Walter H. Gleason, trustee. The total assessment on the parcel, including the 5184 square feet of land, is \$14,500, of which the land carries a rating of \$800. Bridget L. Fitzpatrick was the purchaser.

A block of brick and frame buildings numbered 170 to 174 Norfolk avenue, junction of Shirley and Sherwood streets, Roxbury, have been sold by Dudley Talbot et al. to Jacob Katz. There are more than 11,000 square feet of land, taxed for \$4500, and the total assessors' rating is \$13,000.

Robert Homans has taken title to the second parcel in the large transactions mentioned in these columns a few months ago whereby a handsome new bank structure is to be erected on Devonshire street, directly opposite the Globe building. This property is numbered 70 to 72 Devonshire street, and was owned by Charles J. Paine et al. trustees. The title came through Thomas M. Smith. There is now on the site a four-story brick structure, occupying 1354 square feet of land, having a total rating of \$92,000. The land is assessed for \$84,000. The price paid by the new owner was in excess of the value placed by the assessors. The broker was Joseph D. Dillworth, Devonshire building.

OUTLYING DISTRICTS ACTIVE.

Many changes in ownership have gone to record involving property in the Roxbury and Dorchester.

J. J. Billington has sold for F. C. Welch and another, trustees, the 2½ story frame dwelling house and 5225 feet of land numbered 4 Wabon street, near Warren street, Roxbury. Of the total taxed value of \$5000, the land carries a rating of \$2100. The purchaser is Harry Livingston, who will occupy.

A lot of 11,002 square feet of land and a frame house at 9 Millmont, near Highland street, Roxbury, carrying an assessed valuation of \$7900, of which \$4400 is on the land, has just passed from Joseph McElaney to Anna Gordon.

In West Roxbury a tract of 16,875 feet of land, assessed on valuation of \$1400, located on Poplar, near Heathcote street, has been sold by Fred H. Brown to A. Elizabeth Smith.

Mary J. Caskie and others have transferred to Alice McVeey Dooman the 3037 feet of land and frame house numbered 357 Bowdoin, near Church street, Dorchester. The assessors rate

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STUDENTS OF SMITH TO PRESENT DRAMA SATURDAY NIGHT

NORTHAMPTON, Mass.—The officers and cast of the student play to be given Saturday are as follows: The play is K. Trask's "King Alfred's Jewel."

Division officers—President, Elizabeth Eddy, '10 of Auburn, N. Y.; secretary, Agnes Heintz '11 of Buffalo, N. Y.; treasurer, Marion Denman '12 of Springfield, Mass.; costumes chairman, Clara Franklin '11 of Melrose, Mass.; scenery chairman, Eleanor Goddard '11 of Worcester, Mass.; business manager, Katherine Forrest '11 of Hubbard Wood, Ill.; coach, Miss M. B. Curtiss of the elocution department.

Cast—Alfred, Gladys Drummond '12 of Schenectady, N. Y.; Cornelia, Edith Fitzgerald '12 of Hempstead, N. Y.; Meufitch, Helen Houghton '12 of Yonkers, N. Y.; Cedric, Sallie Frankenstein '12 of Westerly, R. I.; Gurtch, Josephine Hamilton '12 of Cedar Rapids, Ia.; Gunerung, Heloise Hedges '10 of Galveston, Tex.; Bishop, Hazel Gleason '11 of Van Wert, O.; Elsutra, Josephine Keizer '10 of Kansas City, Mo.; Elfreda, Dorothy Hieck '11 of Burlington, Vt.; Drida, Juanita Field '11 of Berlin, Conn.; Numanero, Hester Hopkins '12 of Rochester, N. Y.; Soldiers, Elsa Detmold '11 of New York, Ruth Joslin '12 of Chicago, Jean Johnson '11 of Columbus, O.; Monks, Elizabeth Duffield '11 of Princeton, N. J.; Hildegarde Hoyt '12 of Auburn, N. Y.; Serving maidens, Dorothy Hawkins '12 of Wilmington, Del.; Ruth Evans '12 of Chicago, Margarita Higley '12 of Newport, R. I.; Eugenie Fink '12 of Milwaukee, Wis.; Mildred Fogel '12 of Rutherford, N. J.

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BOOM MR. CROSBY AS THE SURVEYOR



THE HON. J. HOWELL CROSBY.

Massachusetts state senator, who is endorsed for next surveyor of the port.

SENATOR J. Howell Crosby of Arlington was boomed for the position of surveyor of the port Thursday night by President Treadway of the state Senate, at a dinner given by him to the members of the Senate at the Boston City Club.

Mr. Treadway's proposal was greeted with hearty cheers and the members appeared practically unanimous in their endorsement and their pledges to the movement for the appointment.

William A. Murphy acted as toastmaster, and the speakers included Governor Draper, Lieutenant-Governor Frothingham, Speaker Joseph Walker of the House, Atty. Gen. Dana Malone, Collector of the Port of Springfield, Senator Daniel Mahoney of Hampden, J. Howell Crosby of Arlington, James Doyle of Boston, Frank Bennett, Jr., of Saugus.

It is said that the selection of the surveyor will be left substantially to Senator Lodge. Probably Senator Crane will concur in any endorsement which Senator Lodge thinks most desirable. It is known that the name of W. L. Lofkin, secretary to Representative Gardner, is being considered.

WELLESLEY GIRLS IN PHI BETA KAPPA

Notices of election to the Phi Beta Kappa society of Wellesley College were sent out Thursday. The new members are as follows, from the class of '10: Misses Ethel Andem, Helen Bulley, Theodore Douglas, Georgette Genter, Elizabeth Horne, Beulah Bowen; Helen Burr, Eva Jeffs, Eleanor Patterson and Florence Wiss.

Misses Viola White, Miriam Powers, Anna Seener and Alma Moenfelder were chosen from the class of '11.

LAD HOLDS CROWD AT BAY.

NEW YORK—Charles Wood, a youth of Rutherford, N. J., attacked Miss Anna Kipp with a club, barricaded himself in a boathouse and held a posse at bay, after shooting Charles Smith, chief of police of Carlstadt, N. J. He then took his own life. The girl was not seriously hurt.

FOUNDRY GET INCREASE.

BERWICK, Pa.—Notice has been given that an increase of 10 per cent has been made to employees regularly on the night turn of the Berwick plant of the American Can and Foundry Company. Upward of 1000 men will be affected.

What the Students Are Doing

VASSAR COLLEGE.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.—Officers of the Christian Association were elected at a meeting held April 26. Marjorie MacCoy of Philadelphia, Pa., was chosen president; Helen Congdon of Duluth, Minn., vice-president; Margaret Tibbets of Wallingford, Conn., recording secretary; Elizabeth Page of New York city, corresponding secretary; Ruth Washburn of Brooklyn, N. Y., treasurer. The members of the Wake Robin Club paid their annual visit to Mr. John Burroughs at Slabides, April 23.

At a meeting of Civitas held April 20, Miss Ella Mason gave a topic on "The Origin of the Christmas Tree." New members were elected as follows: Geraldine Shaw, East Claire, Wis.; Grace Frank, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Marjorie MacCoy, Philadelphia, Pa.; Margaret Brady, Rochester, N. Y.; Beatrice Owens, Cleveland, O.; Dorothy Rice, New York city; Mabel Clark, Salem, O.; Gertrude Orr, Denver, Col.; Harriet Waller, Bloomsburg, Pa., and Louise Miller, Montrose, Pa.

T. & M., the debating society of 1911, had a joint discussion recently on the question: "Resolved, that the furniture, fixtures and lamps of senior parlor be made permanent by gifts from successive classes." The affirmative was upheld by Miss Bassi. The negative was upheld by Elizabeth B. Kutyner of Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

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YALE UNIVERSITY.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—The committee in charge of the sub-freshman banquet consisted of Elmer S. Horton '10, Providence; Malcolm R. Jeffris '10, Jonesville, Wis.; Robert F. Skillings '11, Portland, Me., and Norman B. Hull '13 of Providence.

George B. Francis, consulting engineer of New York city, gave an illustrated lecture descriptive of the new Pennsylvania railroad terminal before the engineering society in Manning hall recently.

The classes of 1889 and 1890 have given to the university a collection of books to be known as the Hammond Lamont Memorial Library. The collection is a valuable one and is highly prized by the library.

Ralph S. Drury '12 of Fitchburg, Mass., has been elected by the athletic association as assistant manager of next year's basketball team. He is a member of the bowling team and a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity. Brenton Smith '11 of New York was elected captain of next year's swimming team and James C. Elms, Jr., of East Orange, N. J., was made manager. Harold E. Muir of Newton, N. J., was elected manager of the varsity basketball team.

THE MARY RICHARDSON AND LYDIA PRATT BABBOTT FELLOWSHIP has been awarded to Florence M. Bennett '03.

A song contest will be held between the four classes in May.

YALE UNIVERSITY.

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—There is a movement in progress among the 20 students of Yale University to form an organization whose aim will be to help educate the lower class of their countrymen living in New Haven and other large cities. It is hoped they may start similar movements among the Chinese in all the colleges of America. A general mass meeting of all the Chinese in this district will be held here on May 8, when definite plans will be decided upon.

The instigator of this plan is Cheng Thomas Wang of Ningpo, China, who is a senior in Yale College. When interviewed relative to the matter he said:

"We Chinese students feel greatly indebted to the students who have been doing educational work among our countrymen in America. But we fully realize that their ignorance of the native tongue has been a stumbling-block in the advancement of their noble work. And so we hope by entering into this work ourselves to overcome the difficulty and make the more ignorant Chinese laborers here better realize the value of American citizenship."

The date for the annual interclass singing contest has been fixed for the Friday of prom week, May 27.

TUFTS COLLEGE.

MEDFORD, Mass.—Recently the members of the mechanical engineering senior class ran a test at the Boston power house of the Elevated Railway Company under the direction of Prof. Charles H. Chase.

Prof. Gardner C. Anthony, dean of the engineering school, Wednesday represented Tufts College at the opening of the new general engineering building of Union College at Schenectady.

Wednesday evening the Tufts chapter of Delta Tau Delta fraternity held its annual dance in the Goddard gymnasium.

SPRINGFIELD MAN GETS Y. M. C. A. POST

SPRINGFIELD, Mass.—Charles R. Wakeling, assistant boys' work director of the Y. M. C. A., has received notice of his appointment to the superintendence of the boys' farm in Brockton, one of the largest charitable institutions of that city. Mr. Wakeling leaves his post in the Y. M. C. A. building next week and will begin his duties in Brockton June 1. He will be succeeded in the local Y. M. C. A. by A. G. Baraw of the training school.

THE NEW HAVEN road's construction department is filling in at South Bay for the purpose of laying a "Y" track for turning heavy equipment which is now sent to Brantford, thereby saving extra mileage and switching.

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The New Haven road's private car 400, used by Vice-President Kochersperger, goes with the 1:03 p. m. New York express from the South station today to New Haven.

STREET RAILWAY WORKERS MEET

The New England Street Railway Club held its monthly dinner Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock at the American house.

Following the dinner Henry E. Rhoades of the United States navy gave an account of his experiences in foreign countries as a naval engineer.

He also told of his experiences as a member of an expedition which was sent to the polar regions many years ago to the relief of the Jeannette.

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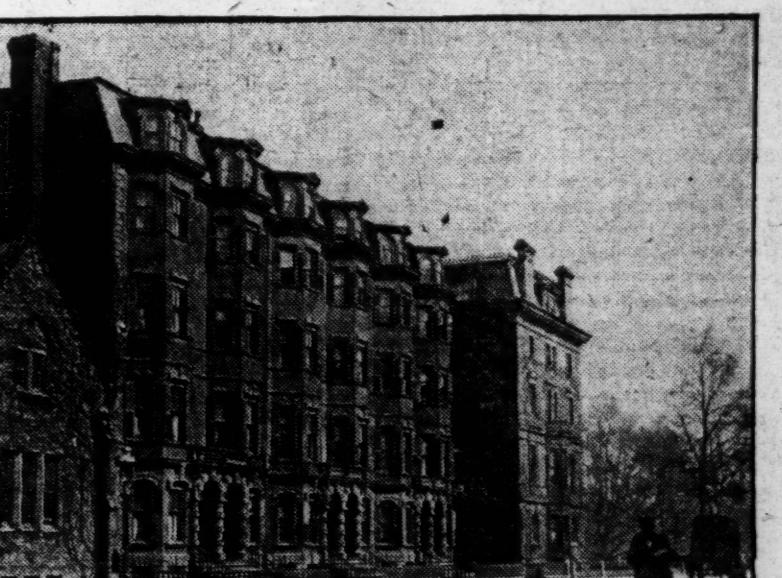
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Boston Y. M. C. A. Reviews Year's Work

Annual report just issued shows great activity especially in raising building fund.



SITE OF PROPOSED NEW Y. M. C. A. BUILDING.

Newbury and Arlington streets looking toward Arlington, the picture being taken on Newbury street. The apartment houses seen in the cut are to be removed.

THE Boston Y. M. C. A., according to its annual report just issued, has outlined a policy for the coming year that will maintain the efficiency of the work and in the meantime they will push as speedily as is practicable the erection of the new building on Arlington street.

This organization has helped 8711 men and boys during the year 1909. The report sets forth the remarkable work that the association is doing in its

NAMES OF HOLDERS OF SEASON TICKETS FOR OPERAS DRAWN

Monday Favorite Night, With Wednesday Second and Friday Evening and Saturday Matinee Even.

BEST SEATS TAKEN

The names of the holders of the \$5, \$4 and \$3 seats for the season of 1910-1911 at the Boston opera house, drawn late Thursday, are made public today.

Monday proved to be the popular opera night, with Wednesday night as second choice and then there is little choice between Friday evenings and Saturday matinees.

The \$5 seats are on the floor of the opera house, the \$4 seats cover all the central part of the first balcony, including the entire first row, and the \$3 seats, of which there are only about 40, are in the first balcony at the extreme ends of the four central sections.

Following are the selections of seats by those names that were drawn:

The first name drawn from the big tin ticket box on the stage was that of Francis W. Dana. As he was not present, Agent Herrick, as proxy, selected among the \$3 seats 41 and 42 in row B of the balcony; the best in the house at that figure. They are end seats in the second row of the first balcony.

George A. Macomber, seats 1 and 2 in row I on the floor Monday; Arthur W. Blake, seats 11 and 12 in row U for Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings; James G. Phelan, seats 10 and 11 in row G for the Monday and Wednesday evening operas; Henry B. Sprague, seats 5 and 6 in row O for the Monday night and the Saturday matinee; Mrs. M. Elizabeth Carter, seats 11 and 12 in row J, and seats in the left of the central section for the Monday and Friday evening operas; Phillip L. Saltonstall took for the Monday night operas seats 21 and 22 in row H.

Among those whose names were drawn early were: Robert M. Morse, seats 1 and 2 in row G for the entire season; Caroline L. Gay, seats 21 and 22 in row H for Friday evenings; Col. Henry L. Higginson, seats 10 and 11 in row D for the season; Mrs. H. P. Quincy, seats 12 and 13 in row M for the season; Mrs. John Lowell, seats 21 and 22 in row I for Monday nights; Mrs. David Coolidge, seats 10 and 11 in row E for the Friday evening operas; Mrs. J. Arthur Beebe, seats 0 and 10 in row A for Mondays and Wednesdays and seats 21 and 22 in row C for Friday evenings.

Mr. G. S. Fearing, seats 1 and 2 in row N for the entire season; George H. Converse, seats 41 and 42 in row I for Monday and Wednesday evenings; Phineas W. Sprague, seats 21, 22, 23 and 24 in row C for Monday evenings; the management of the house selected seats 21 and 22 in row G for William Endicott, Jr., as he was unrepresented; Edward P. Bliss for Monday evening and the Saturday matinees; seats A 101 and 102 in the balcony; Amory A. Lawrence secured for Monday and Friday evenings seats 1, 2, 3 and 4 in row E; W. K. Richardson, seats 41 and 42 in row N for Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings; George H. Davenport, seats 41, 42 and 43 in row G for Monday nights.

Some of the others who secured good seats were:

Miss Lucy Lowell—Wednesday, J 10, 11, 12.

Miss L. W. Case—Monday, F 41, 42.

Miss Louis French—Monday, H 41, 42.

Arthur Winslow—Wednesday, O 14, 15.

Margaret A. Miller—Wednesday, J 21, 22.

Miss E. Andrews—Wednesday and Saturday, O 1, 2.

Ida S. Damon—Monday, F 1, 2.

Philip Tucker—Monday, J 41, 42.

Miss Edmund Wiggesworth—Monday, K 4, 5.

Nathan Anthony—Monday and Saturday, F 1, 2.

John S. Twombly—Monday, balcony, C 41, 42.

Mrs. Augstine C. Wellington—Saturday, O 11.

Miss George Tyson—Season, M 21, 22.

Miss E. Andrews—Wednesday, J 21, 22.

Miss L. M. Tilton—Saturday, J 1, 2.

Miss L. M. Tilton—Saturday, J 9, 10.

Miss L. M. Tilton—Sunday, J 11, 12.

Henry E. Smith—Wednesday, F 21, 22.

Frank Wood—Wednesday, balcony, H 1, 2.

Mrs. Sarah E. Adams—Monday, O 41, 42.

Saturday, O 41, 42.

E. A. Tarbell—Wednesday, M 21, 22.

Mrs. S. Parkman—Monday, balcony, O 12.

Mason & Hamlin Co.—Monday, O 21, 22.

Mrs. Oscar Isagir—Monday, O 11, 12, 13.

Edward J. Bradley—Monday, H 9, 10.

Albert T. Fuller—Monday, F 3, 4; Friday, F 1, 2.

John R. Tilton—Monday, C 1, 2.

Rebecca A. Benson—Saturday, G 21, 22.

Mrs. Charles H. Bond—Monday, M 41, 42.

Miss Lydia—Wednesday, H 101, 102.

Susan Sangster—Monday, E 21, 22; Saturday, J 1, 21.

Miss William S. Whiting—Wednesday, E 2, 3.

M. R. Bryan—Friday, O 5, 6.

George M. Putnam—Monday, Wednesday, Saturday, O 11, 12.

Miss L. M. Tilton—Saturday, J 1, 2.

Miss L. M. Tilton—Sunday, J 9, 10.

Miss L. M. Tilton—Monday, J 11, 12.

Edward R. De Long—Saturday, D 21.

William B. Parker—Wednesday, M 21, 22.

Charles Whittemore—Season, J 9, 10.

Frank H. Beebe—Monday, C 9, 10; Wednesday, D 21, 22.

Robert L. De Normandie—Season, Q 11.

William Blodgett—Wednesday and Saturday, O 21, 22.

Richard Olney—Saturday, F 1, 2.

Dr. S. J. Minter—Monday and Wednesday, J 1, 2.

Thomas H. Logan—Friday, J 11, 12.

William B. Parker—Wednesday, M 21, 22.

Mrs. John L. Batchelder—Monday, P 11, 12.

George R. Barry—Monday and Saturday, E 10, 11.

William N. Richardson—Monday and Friday, O 21, 22.

Frank A. Miller—Friday, O 21, 22.

Thomas H. Logan—Friday, J 11, 12.

William B. Parker—Wednesday, M 21, 22.

Charles Whittemore—Season, J 9, 10.

Francis B. Greene—Season, K 23, 24.

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Dudley L. Pickman—Monday and Friday, Q 9, 10.

Richard H. Dana—Monday, balcony, A 9, 10.

Miss E. A. Parker—Wednesday, E 11, 12.

Miss E. A. Parker—Wednesday, E 11, 12

Financial, Commercial and Industrial News of the World

IRREGULARITY IN PRICE MOVEMENTS AGAIN PREVAILS

Market Opens With Better Tone, Followed by Further Selling—St. Paul Attracts Some Attention.

BOSTON IS STEADY

There was much irregularity in the stock market today. New York was active and special interest was directed to the important issues. The news of the morning was generally favorable, but recently this has lost much of its significance and the market has continued to drop in spite of the optimistic reports.

The opening was buoyant and prices rose easily for a short time. Selling pressure again appeared and stocks declined. This was followed by another advance and securities vibrated backward and forward at a very uncertain rate.

United States Steel was again conspicuous. It opened up $\frac{1}{2}$ at 80%, improved to 80%, dropped the fraction and then advanced above 81.

Reading opened unchanged at 157 $\frac{1}{4}$, improved nearly a point and then fell back to 156 $\frac{1}{2}$. Good buying again advanced the stock well above the opening. St. Paul which had a severe setback the past few days opened up $\frac{1}{2}$ at 136 $\frac{1}{2}$, advanced a point and held well its gain during the first part of the session. The announcement that the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company contemplated an issue of bonds was largely responsible for the selling movement in the shares and gave rise to a bearish feeling in some speculative quarters. This view of the matter seems a very narrow one based on temporary market conditions. It is argued that the demand for bonds for investments is not large at present, and that in order to effect sales concessions must be made in the shape of higher interest rates. There is something in this although the company by inserting a convertible clause in the mortgage will add a speculative feature to that of the investment itself and secure good prices for whatever bonds are sold. The matter of a slightly higher interest rate is, however, not of primary importance.

It may be that one consideration with the directors has been the fact, that after the pending administration railroad bill goes into effect, the railways will be compelled to secure the permission of the interstate commerce commission before issuing new securities. This, however, is aside from the point, which is the manner in which the announcement and similar issues by other companies are greeted by the professional speculative element.

The local market was inclined to weakness. Lake Copper opened up $\frac{1}{4}$ at 52, advanced to 52 $\frac{1}{2}$, sold off to 51 $\frac{1}{2}$ and then improved fractionally. Isle Royale opened up $\frac{1}{4}$ at 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ and declined a good fraction. North Butte opened unchanged at 32 $\frac{1}{2}$, advanced to 33 $\frac{1}{2}$ and slumped off later. Granby opened up $\frac{1}{4}$ at 43, advanced to 43 $\frac{1}{2}$ and lost about a point before noon.

Shortly after midday there was some good buying of the leading securities and the New York market became steady. At the beginning of the last hour a moderate rally was in progress, carrying prices well above the low points of the day. St. Paul had recovered to 139. Steel was selling above 82. Reading was two points above the opening. Pennsylvania was selling around 133. The local market was also stronger.

ROCK ISLAND SHOPS.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.—Work has been started on the Rock Island shops to be erected at a cost of \$200,000 at Biddle, a suburb of Little Rock. The company will erect a roundhouse, car shop, storehouses, coal chute and other buildings, which will eventually cost \$1,250,000.

RETURNING TO CHANGSHA.

CHANGSHA, China.—The Yale mission, abandoned on account of the rioting, will be reopened on May 2. Some foreign business houses have resumed operations at inland points.

Weather Predictions

UNITED STATES WEATHER BUREAU PREDICTION FOR BOSTON AND VICINITY: Fair tonight; Saturdayunsetted; warmer; light to moderate variable winds, becoming south to southwest.

WASHINGTON—The U. S. weather bureau predicts weather today as follows for New England: Partly cloudy in east, showers tonight or Saturday in west portion, warmer; moderate east to southeast winds.

TEMPERATURE TODAY.

5 a. m. 44 $\frac{1}{2}$ noon 54 $\frac{1}{2}$

5 p. m. 56

Average temperature yesterday, 49 $\frac{1}{2}$.

IN OTHER CITIES.

Montreal 34 New Orleans 64 Nantucket 44 St. Louis 64 New York 46 B'ham 60 Washington 46 Boston 50 Atlanta 62 B'ham 50 Savannah 60 Denver 54 Jacksonville 62 Kansas City 68 San Francisco 58 Portland, Ore. 44

ALMANAC FOR TOMORROW.

Sun rises 4:42 Moon rises a. m.

Sun sets 6:42 High water a. m.

Length of day 14:30 2:33 a.m. 3:27 p.m.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK—Following are the opening, high, low and last sales of the principal active stocks to 2:30 p. m.:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
Allis-Chalmers	10	10	10	10
Amalgamated	70	70	68 $\frac{1}{2}$	70 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Ag Chemicals	43	43	43	43
Am. Beet Sugar	92	93	92	93
Am. Can Co.	91 $\frac{1}{2}$	92 $\frac{1}{2}$	91 $\frac{1}{2}$	92 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Car & Found	58 $\frac{1}{2}$	59	57 $\frac{1}{2}$	58 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Cotton Oil	60 $\frac{1}{2}$	61	60	60 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Hide & Leather	61 $\frac{1}{2}$	61	61 $\frac{1}{2}$	61 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Hlde & Pif.	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	32	30 $\frac{1}{2}$	32
Am. Ice	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	24	23 $\frac{1}{2}$	24
Am. Linseed Oil	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Linseed Oil pif.	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	33	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	33
Am. Locomotive	47 $\frac{1}{2}$	48 $\frac{1}{2}$	47 $\frac{1}{2}$	48 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Malt	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Malt pif.	37	37	36 $\frac{1}{2}$	36 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Smelt & Re.	78 $\frac{1}{2}$	78	76 $\frac{1}{2}$	78 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. S & R pif.	103 $\frac{1}{2}$	102 $\frac{1}{2}$	102 $\frac{1}{2}$	102 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Steel Fy (n)	57 $\frac{1}{2}$	59	57 $\frac{1}{2}$	58 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Sugar	121	121 $\frac{1}{2}$	120 $\frac{1}{2}$	121 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Tel & Tel.	134 $\frac{1}{2}$	135	134 $\frac{1}{2}$	134 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Woolen	33	33	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 $\frac{1}{2}$
Am. Woolen pif.	97 $\frac{1}{2}$	97	97 $\frac{1}{2}$	97 $\frac{1}{2}$
Amacanda	41 $\frac{1}{2}$	42	40 $\frac{1}{2}$	41 $\frac{1}{2}$
Atchison	108 $\frac{1}{2}$	108 $\frac{1}{2}$	107 $\frac{1}{2}$	108 $\frac{1}{2}$
Atchison pif.	101 $\frac{1}{2}$	102 $\frac{1}{2}$	101 $\frac{1}{2}$	102 $\frac{1}{2}$
At Coast Line	123	123	123	123
Baltimore & Ohio	107 $\frac{1}{2}$	108	107 $\frac{1}{2}$	108
Bethlehem Steel	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$	29 $\frac{1}{2}$
Brooklyn Rail. Tr.	75 $\frac{1}{2}$	76 $\frac{1}{2}$	75 $\frac{1}{2}$	76 $\frac{1}{2}$
Brunswick & C. Co.	13	12	12	12
Canada Pacific	65 $\frac{1}{2}$	65 $\frac{1}{2}$	65 $\frac{1}{2}$	65 $\frac{1}{2}$
Central Pacific	102 $\frac{1}{2}$	103 $\frac{1}{2}$	101 $\frac{1}{2}$	102 $\frac{1}{2}$
Central Leather	41 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	41 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
Central Pac. & Ohio	80	81 $\frac{1}{2}$	79 $\frac{1}{2}$	81 $\frac{1}{2}$
Chi. & St. L.	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	27	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	27 $\frac{1}{2}$
Col. Fuel & Iron	37 $\frac{1}{2}$	37	37 $\frac{1}{2}$	37 $\frac{1}{2}$
Col. Southern	57 $\frac{1}{2}$	58	57 $\frac{1}{2}$	57 $\frac{1}{2}$
Consol Gas	134 $\frac{1}{2}$	137	134 $\frac{1}{2}$	136 $\frac{1}{2}$
Conoco Products	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$	14 $\frac{1}{2}$
Del & Hudson	169 $\frac{1}{2}$	169 $\frac{1}{2}$	168 $\frac{1}{2}$	169 $\frac{1}{2}$
Del & Lack.	570	570	570	570
Den & Rio Grande	39 $\frac{1}{2}$	39 $\frac{1}{2}$	37 $\frac{1}{2}$	33 $\frac{1}{2}$
Den & R G pif.	77 $\frac{1}{2}$	77	77 $\frac{1}{2}$	77 $\frac{1}{2}$
Denison	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	27	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	27 $\frac{1}{2}$
Eric 1st pif.	43 $\frac{1}{2}$	43 $\frac{1}{2}$	43 $\frac{1}{2}$	43 $\frac{1}{2}$
Eric 2d pif.	34	34	34	34
General Electric	147 $\frac{1}{2}$	148 $\frac{1}{2}$	146 $\frac{1}{2}$	146
Gr. Northern P. & L.	132 $\frac{1}{2}$	133 $\frac{1}{2}$	131 $\frac{1}{2}$	133 $\frac{1}{2}$
Illinoian Central	133 $\frac{1}{2}$	134	133 $\frac{1}{2}$	134
Int Harvester	90 $\frac{1}{2}$	91	90 $\frac{1}{2}$	91 $\frac{1}{2}$
Interboro-Met.	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	20	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	19 $\frac{1}{2}$
Interboro-Met. Pl.	52 $\frac{1}{2}$	53	52 $\frac{1}{2}$	53 $\frac{1}{2}$
Int. Mer Marine pif.	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	16 $\frac{1}{2}$
Int. Paper pif.	50 $\frac{1}{2}$	50	50 $\frac{1}{2}$	50 $\frac{1}{2}$
Int. Pump	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$	42 $\frac{1}{2}$
Iron Central	20	20	20	20 $\frac{1}{2}$
Kansas City So.	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	33 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	33 $\frac{1}{2}$
Kansas & Texas	40 $\frac{1}{2}$	41	39 $\frac{1}{2}$	40 $\frac{1}{2}$
Laclede Gas	100 $\frac{1}{2}$	100 $\frac{1}{2}$	100 $\frac{1}{2}$	100 $\frac{1}{2}$
Lake Erie & West.	19	19	15	16 $\frac{1}{2}$
Lake Huron	65	65	65	65
Lake Michigan	145 $\frac{1}{2}$	146 $\frac{1}{2}$	146 $\frac{1}{2}$	147 $\frac{1}{2}$
Markins pif.	75	75	75	75
Manhattan	134	134	134	134
M. & P. & S. Ste. Ma.	135 $\frac{1}{2}$	136	135 $\frac{1}{2}$	136
M. & P. & S. Ste. Ma.	67 $\frac{1}{2}$	67	66 $\frac{1}{2}$	67 $\frac{1}{2}$
Nat Biscuit Co.	122 $\frac{1}{2}$	122 $\frac{1}{2}$	122 $\frac{1}{2}$	122 $\frac{1}{2}$
Nat Lead	77	78	76 $\frac{1}{2}$	78
N. R. of Mex 1st pif.	62	62	62	62
N. R. of Mex 2d pif.	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	27	27 $\frac{1}{2}$	27 $\frac{1}{2}$
N. Y. Air Brake	73	73	73	73
N. Y. Central	118 $\frac{1}{2}$	120 $\frac{1}{2}$	118 $\frac{1}{2}$	119 $\frac{1}{2}$
N. Y. C. & St. L.	56 $\frac{1}{2}$	58	56 $\frac{1}{2}$	58 $\frac{1}{2}$
N. Y. N. H. & H.	150	150	150	1

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BOSTON AND N. E.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE

COACHMAN desires position; understands carriage horses and harness; rides and drives; references; married. THOMAS MULKEEN, 68 Green st., Newton, Mass. 2

COACHMAN-CHAUFFEUR desires position with private family; good references. C. B. GREENWOOD, 123 Brookline Ave., Boston. 4

COLLECTOR wants position with reliable firm; seven years experience; furnish bond and best of references; understand from salesman; advertising agent or salesman. A. K. BROWN, 3 Market, Worcester, Mass. 28

COLLECTOR OF RENTS desires employment of any kind. E. T. RICKETSON, 55 East Newton st., Boston. 4

COLLEGE STUDENT wants work from June 15 to August 15; willing to do anything. GORDON W. HERDMAN, box 436, Needham, Mass. 4

COLORED MAN (21) desires employment of any kind; valid written bond or contract; references. N. H. HOLYoke or 46 Tremont 1578-2, Boston. 4

COOK desires position with party of young men going camping at the shore of Lake Winnipesaukee. J. LOCKWOOD, box 106, Weston, Conn. 2

CUSTOM SLIPPER MAKER desires position; 30 years' experience. MORRIS HOLMES, 34 Linwood ave., Melrose, Mass. 2

DANE (21) wishes clean occupation; steady; good references; desires position with change for advancement; 4 years experience in Danish restaurant and steamship office work; references. H. H. JENSEN, 130 State st., Worcester, Mass. 3

ELEVATOR MAN (colored) desires employment or doing general work; temperate, reliable. PATRICK, 129 Cornhill, Boston. 4

ELEVATOR MAN (colored) desires position as porter. ALLEN H. JONES, 17 Front st., Cambridge. 4

EMPLOYMENT desired by young man with opportunity of advancement; good references. A. T. 344 Putnam av., Cambridge. 28

EMPLOYMENT desired by American Protestant, single, 28; good Boston; temperate; experience in soliciting; as clerk in small store; best of references. FREDERICK H. HOLMES, 81 Cedar st., West Somerville, Mass. 2

EMPLOYMENT desired by man 21, any kind; good references and habits; willing worker. JOHN BELL, 175 Morgan st., Fall River, Mass. 4

EMPLOYMENT desired by young man 15 years old; good education; to learn retail business in either Boston or Lynn. G. E. PALMER, 62 Clarendon ave., Lynn, Mass. 2

EMPLOYMENT desired on farm for room and small recompense; good habits and willing worker. H. L. CROLEY, 125 Moreland st., Boston. 29

EMPLOYMENT desired by man (20) driving team, or any other occupation. HENRY GAY, 12 Tufts st., Concord. 29

EMPLOYMENT desired by man 42 years of age; temperate, reliable, well educated. J. J. 100 Franklin st., Boston. 2

EMPLOYMENT desired for the summer by student (23); willing worker. L. W. C. 9 Rutland sq., Boston. 3

EMPLOYMENT of any kind desired by man of 40; fair pennance; references given. D. R. MACRAE, 295 Dudley st., Roxbury, Mass. 3

EMPLOYMENT desired by man 42 years of age; temperate, reliable, well educated. J. J. 100 Franklin st., Boston. 2

EMPLOYMENT desired by married man; do anything; trustworthy; reliable; references. F. E. M. 13 Cambridge st., Boston. 5

ENGINEER first class desires position; 25 years experience; also machinist; strictly temperate; references. ALBERT HOLBROOK, 100 West Springfield st., Boston. 2

ENGINEER, third class, desires steady position; best of references; strictly temperate. H. L. 22 Haverhill st., Haverhill. 2

FACTORY OFFICE CLERK desires employment; understands use of slide rule; good references; best of references. A. D. CLARK, 12 Leonard ave., Cambridge. 2

SUPERVISOR desires connection with some school department or other organization; experienced teacher English for foreigners; experienced. Address B 541, Monitor Office. 29

TEA-PLIER desires a situation as driver; through acquaintance with city; strict and temperate; best of references. ALBERT HOLBROOK, 100 West Springfield st., Boston. 2

TELETYPE student desires position for summer; information in electrical or advanced subjects; experienced; will travel; references. R. C. NEMIAH, 171 Lawrence st., New Haven, Conn. 2

TIPSTICK desires employment; typewriting; copying letters or MSS. addressing envelopes. L 524 Monitor Office. 2

VALET OR ATTENDANT desires employment; capable, agreeable and educated person; good salary; references. L 540 Monitor Office. 2

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VALET student desires position for summer; information in electrical or advanced subjects; experienced; will travel; references. R. C. NEMIAH, 171 Lawrence st., New Haven, Conn. 2

WATCHMAKER (experienced) desires position; best of references; strictly high class. G. O. 35 Edwards st., Somerville, Mass. 2

WATCHWALKER in store wishes position, or as timekeeper in factory, or real estate office. In New York or New England. H. L. BAGDIGHIAN, 19 Albion st., Somerville, Mass. 2

FOREMAN (PUBLISHER) or buffer wants position on any kind of metal; 12 years' experience; open to travel; references. W. M. SHATTUCK, box 246, Melrose, Mass. 22

GARDENER-middie-aged, desires employment on gentleman's place, or on farm; best references given. C. S. 20

GENERAL TEAMSTER desires employment; experienced, familiar with all parts of city. W. H. KENNEDY, 49 Homestead st., Roxbury, Mass. 29

GENERAL MAN desires employment about private home; caring for old people, etc., during summer. BERNARD SMITH, 3 Melrose st., Boston. 2

GENERAL WORK wanted by man, washing windows, cleaning carpets, etc. JAMES H. NORMAN, 26 Windsor st., Boston. 2

GERMAN CARPENTER desires situation; practical experience and expert; own tools; experience; quick accurate; references exchanged. JOHN R. GOLIA, 31 Rutland sq., Boston. 2

INSIDE SALESMAN desires position; 8 years experience in wholesale paper and twin business; best references. M. 542 Monitor Office. 29

JANITOR, first-class, wants permanent position; good character; reliable; good references. F. J. COLLINS, 26 of Superintendent, 415 Newbury st., Boston. 29

JANITOR, first-class, wants permanent position; good character; reliable; good references. W. A. B. L. 5 Cushing st., Boston. 2

MANAGER and salesman desires employment; 20 years' experience; A. B. L. 5 Cushing st., Boston. 2

MANAGER or clerk desires position in butter and egg or grocery store; thoroughly understand these lines; having had own business. A. F. N. 3 Oldfield st., Roxbury, Mass. 28

MANAGER of GARAGE at seashore or mountain desires position anywhere; also a first-class repair man; washer or polisher; can get references from last employer. JAMES W. BOSTON, 450 Culler st., Boston. 4

MANAGER CUTTER of proven ability desires position in country club, hotel or inn-tuit. WILLIAM P. ENGLISH, River st., Norwalk, Conn. 2

MEAT CUTTER of proven ability desires position in New England; Rhode Island or Connecticut; best of references. HIRAH E. HURD, 30 Central av., Danvers, Mass. 2

NIGHT WATCHMAN wants position; a young man; reliable; highest references; also good references. JOHN F. EVANS, 11 Avon st., Malden, Mass. 2

NIGHT WATCHMAN desires employment; middle-aged man; good references. EDWIN LOCKE, 35 Swanlow st., South Boston. 2

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ORGANIST desires position in Boston or elsewhere; will substitute during summer. G. S. MAIER, 215 Court rd., Wintrop, Mass. 2

PAINTER, first-class workman, wants indoor and hotel, landlords, real estate. HENRY WILSON, 144 Bowdoin st., Boston. 2

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TRADE INVESTIGATOR POINTS OUT ROAD TO INCREASED EXPORTS

"If the best of our business men will push their activities into foreign countries, our export trade can be increased to an enormous extent. This country, in fact, is rapidly coming to a point where export trade with the foreign markets is more essential to our welfare than at any other period in its history," declared C. A. Green of New York in an interview in Boston today.

Mr. Green is agent for the R. G. Dun & Co. mercantile agency, and has traveled extensively in all parts of the civilized world, making investigations of the methods and financial standing of business houses. A part of his business is to attend conventions of merchants throughout the United States, and he has been attending the annual meeting of the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers in Talbot hall. In previous years he has read papers before the cotton men.

Mr. Green speaks optimistically of the opportunities of American business men not alone from theory, but from the practical experience that 20 years of painstaking investigation into the subject has afforded.

HEINZ LAWYER SCORES A POINT

NEW YORK—District Attorney Wise at today's session of the trial of F. A. Heinz for alleged violation of the national banking law called Miles M. O'Brien, vice-president of the Mercantile National Bank, and began questioning him regarding the condition of the bank between March and October, 1907.

Attorney Stanchfield, for Mr. Heinz, objected.

"Objection sustained," declared Judge Hough, "The charge against this defendant is over-certification. You must lay a foundation for the over-certification charge at once. This trial is now in its fifth day without any evidence to uphold the allegations of the indictment."

"1915" EDUCATION MEETING TODAY

The "Boston-1915" education conference will hold a meeting at 8 p. m. at the Y. M. C. U. building, 46 Boylston street, to hear Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard University, and other speakers.

The program includes the following addresses: "A General Survey of the Educational Needs of the Community," Dr. Eliot; "Needs of Continuation Schools," Frank P. Speare, Boston; Y. M. C. A. "Needs of Public Schools," Joseph Lee; "Settlements and Their Development," Robert A. Woods, and "Education of Defectives," George H. Martin.

REBUKE MAYER OF SOMERVILLE

The Somerville aldermen overrode eight vetoes sent in by Mayor John Woods and tabled a ninth, at a meeting Thursday evening. The board refused confirmation of an appointment made by the mayor to the office of superintendent of the work of suppressing the browntail and gypsy moth.

The first veto was of an order appropriating \$70,000 to construct a schoolhouse in ward 7, and others were vetoes of licenses granted to four expressmen to transport liquors into the city, and several pool licenses.

HARVARD DEBATES AT YALE TONIGHT

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—For the fourth time, the Yale and Harvard freshman debating teams will meet tonight, and will thresh out the question: "Resolved, that the United States should adopt a system of subsidies other than our present mail subsidies, for the encouragement of our merchant marine."

GIFT FOR COLONEL LOMBARD.

Col. Walter E. Lombard of the coast artillery corps was presented with a silver service by Capt. William Renfrew of the fifth company of the corps on Thursday evening. The presentation was at the headquarters of the fifth company in Chelsea and was made in behalf of the members of the company in recognition of the services of the company in raising a fund for the members of the company who lost their homes in the Chelsea fire.

NAME OF "BACCHANTE" OWNER.

The name of the present owner of Frederick MacMonnies' "Bacchante," which was in the Yerkes art collection and has become loaned to the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, became public today. It is George Robert White. Mr. White lives at 285 Commonwealth avenue, Boston, and he also has a home in Manchester, Mass.

APPROVE ELECTRIC PLANT SALE.

The sale of the electrical section of the Lexington Gas and Electric Company's plant to the Edison Electric Illuminating Company has been approved by the gas and electric light commission. The Edison company pays in cash \$85,000 but with a bond agreement, the total cost will be \$120,000.

RECOVERS LONG LOST WATCH.

Miss Mildred Skerry, a senior at the Boston University, received from the Boston police this morning a watch which she lost Nov. 6, 1906. The police located the watch in a pawn shop by the number which Miss Skerry gave them when she discovered her loss.

Musical Events

RENEWED REVISION OF TARIFF OPPOSED BY MANUFACTURERS

The National Association of Cotton Manufacturers concluded its two-day meeting in Mechanics building Thursday with a resolution against further attempts at tariff revision. The resolution read as follows:

"That the association deprecates the present agitation for further tariff revision and points out that with the balance of trade against the country any further opening of the door to imports would tend to destroy American industries, to stop employment, to reduce wages and to bring about another period of commercial depression and disaster."

A resolution was passed favoring the buying of cotton on a net weight basis, and one to the effect that the association viewed with satisfaction the increasing

The old operas of the Manhattan repertory, like "Lucia" and "Traviata" with Mme. Tetracci and "Thais" with Miss Gardien, were successful, even when strong counter attractions were offered by the Metropolitan Opera Company at the Boston opera house. But Mr. Hammerstein's ability to hold his own in the opera field depended on the success of his new enterprises; and when a study is made of his New York season the examples of his misjudging the enthusiasm of the American public for his ideas are multiplied. His season of educational opera last fall was unprofitable; his season of French operas, which he planned to run parallel with his regular grand opera season, had to be abandoned. Then the new singers whom he discovered in Europe last summer were almost all disappointments when put to the test on the Manhattan stage. Mr. Hammerstein found his first exploits in the opera of the modern French school profitable; but he exhausted the field much sooner than he expected. "Thais" and "Pelleas" were among the best works of that school, and "Pelleas" did not long hold its own as a popular piece. He found profitable, too, his exploitations of singers whom other impresarios had neglected; but he found the possibilities of discovering new artists did not hold out so long as he believed they would.

Mr. Hammerstein's success in opera was owing above all else to his pre-eminent artistic gifts. As a musician and as a stage manager he set a standard for American opera that the combined geniuses of the operatic alliance may not soon surpass. He always said that he succeeded because he worked alone and did not have to consult a board of directors before he made a new move. His career is interesting to study, for both the favorable and unfavorable results of the one-man management of such an elaborate organization as an opera company.

CAMBRIDGE SYMPHONY CONCERT.

The last symphony concert of the Cambridge series by the Boston Symphony Orchestra was given in Sanders theater of Harvard University Thursday evening. Willy Hess, the retiring conductor of the orchestra, made his final appearance as soloist; he was warmly applauded for his performance of Mendelssohn's concerto in E minor. Sanders theater is an excellent auditorium for music like that of the Mendelssohn concerto; it is a rather small place for some of the music of modern composers, even when the string section of the orchestra is reduced in size. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Franklin W. Hobbs of Boston; vice-presidents, George Otis Draper of New York and Edward Farmane Greene of Lawrence; directors for three years, Albert Farwell Bemis of Jackson, Tenn., R. M. Miller, Jr., of Charlotte, N. C., and Russell B. Lowe of Pittsburgh; directors for two years, to succeed Mr. Greene, Frederick A. Flather of Lowell; director for one year, to succeed Mr. Flather, Frederick B. Macvey of New Bedford.

The meeting place for the fall convention was not decided upon.

**PLANNING TO OPEN
BIG BARGE CANAL**

NEW YORK—The \$100,000,000 barge canal for New York state may be ready for full use in 1915. If all goes well Frederick L. Stevens, state superintendent of public works, hopes to have the Erie canal enlarged and ready for heavy traffic by that year. The Panama canal will also be ready, probably, by that time.

The consensus of opinion at a recent meeting of the New York State Canal Commission is that the canal will be ready by 1915.

HARRISBURG JURY STILL OUT.

HARRISBURG, Pa.—The jury is deadlocked over the question of the guilt or innocence of Joseph M. Huston, architect of the state capitol, charged with conspiracy to defraud the Commonwealth. A building, 90 by 30 feet, is under construction at what has been known as the old gravel pit. Business will be in operation within a few weeks.

George A. Thompson, formerly of Boston, who had charge of the concrete work at the South Terminal station, is to have charge of the making of the cement articles in the new plant.

SEEK ARMY MANEUVERS DATA.

SOUTH BRAINTREE, Mass.—First Lieut. Hugh Downey, corps of engineers, and a detachment of United States engineers have established a camp here for the purpose of securing survey data in regard to conditions for military maneuvers.

BOYS TO SKATE ACROSS COUNTRY.

PATERSON, N. J.—An attempt will be made by Max Brody, Henry Esckors and Abe Levine, members of the Young Men's Hebrew Association, to cross the continent on roller skates. The boys will start on May 2.

VIENNA—Lieutenant Hofrichter, an

officer in one of the crack Austrian regiments, has confessed, under inquisition, that he sent poison in various forms to his superior officers, more than a score in number, in the hope that he could be promoted.

C. H. DADMUN IN BANKRUPTCY.

Clarence H. DADMUN, ex-tax collector of Wellesley, under sentence for larceny from the town, has filed a voluntary bankruptcy petition. He owes \$11,170 and has assets of \$6239.36.

ACTION ON BRIDGE PETITIONS.

The two petitions filed with Lieut.-Col. Edward Burr, regarding the Meridian street bridge over Chelsea creek, East Boston, were today sent to the war department for consideration and action.

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NIAGARA AS ARNOLD SAW IT

In a letter to the London Telegraph in 1900, Edwin Arnold said: Before my balcony, the great cataract is thundering, smoking, glittering with green and white rollers and rapids, hurling the waters of a whole continent in splendor and speed over the sharp ledges of the long, brown rock by which Erie, "the Broad" steps proudly down to Ontario, "the Beautiful."

The smaller but very imposing American Fall speaks with the loudest voice of the two, because its coiling spirals of twisted and furious flood crash in full impulse of descent upon the talus of massive boulders heaped up at its foot.

The rousing impact of water on rocks, the clouds of water-smoke which rise high in air, and the river below churned into a whirling cream of eddy and surge and backwater, unite in a composite effect, at once magnificent and bewildering.

Far away, Niagara river is seen winding eagerly to its prodigious leap.

Far back along the gilded surface of the upper stream, these lines of dancing, tossing, eager, anxious and fate-impelled breakers and billows multiply their white ranks and spread and close together their leaping ridges into a wild chaos of racing waves as the brink is approached. And then, at the brink, there is a curious pause—the momentary peace of the irrevocable. Those mad up-
per waters—reaching the great leap—are suddenly all quiet and glassy, and

rounded and green as the border of a field of rye, while they turn the angle of the dreadful ledge and hurl themselves into the snow-white gulf of noise and mist and mystery underneath.

There is nothing more translucently green nor more perennially still and lovely than Niagara the greater. At this, her awful brink, the whole architec-
ture of the main abyss gleams like a fixed and glorious work wrought in polished aquamarine or emerald. This ex-
quisitely colored cornice of the enormous waterfall—this brim of bright tranquility, between fervor of rush and fury of plunge—is its principal feature, and stamps it as far more beautiful than ter-
rific.

From its crest of chrysoprase and silver, indeed, to its broad foot of milky foam and of its white, stunned waves, too broken and too dazed to begin at first to float away, Niagara appears not terrible, but divinely and deliciously graceful, glad and lovely—a specimen of the splendor of water at its finest—a sight to dwell and linger in the mind with ineffaceable images of happy and grateful thought.

Chanticleer Come to His Own.

WHEN one remembers that La Fontaine is sometimes called the greatest poet of France, and that his stories presenting humanity under the guise of animals and birds are called epic in quality and power by those who best understand the genius of the French people, one wonders less at the latest success of the Paris theater, the play called "Chanticleer." Here we have La Fontaine's personnel before our very eyes. Chanticleer is a barnyard fowl, the cock who thinks that his crowing causes the sunrise. He is the type of the poet. The blackbird is his critic, facile imitator of any role. The nightingale is his associate in song, the hen-
pheasant his ladylove. As the story is told one may not catch the fascination which this symbolist play apparently has for the French public. Only those who have properly oriented themselves can sympathize with the estimate of La

Fontaine as of epic importance, and the acclaim that this fantasy of Rostand has roused. For the work is by the author of "Cyrano de Bergerac" and "L'Aiglon."

Certain critics have said that it is not a piece for the theater, and should have a subtitle, "The Destiny of Poetry." In it the author has declared himself, and though there is not a human being on the stage, one says that there is nothing more human than this piece."

Actors take the parts, Jean Coquelin being one of them. They appear in carefully prepared guise that leaves only the face free. This gives the barnyard fowls the size of human beings, but the stage preserves verisimilitude by showing the sheds and fences, etc., on a correspondingly large scale. Chanticleer, for example, wears a helmet-like headpiece, the beak protruding over the face of the actor like a visor. It required seven years to prepare the piece, including doubtless the ingenious mechanical devices necessary.

Indian Lace Is in Demand

A collection of laces shown at the State Art Society exhibit at the public library art gallery is by the Onigum reservation Indians, near Leach lake. Each of the finely and beautifully woven meshes in the laces and drawn work tells a story of the Indian women in their struggle for education, and proves interestingly what the teacher at the reservation, Miss Colby, has accomplished through kindness and patience.

It seems almost impossible to believe that the rough hands of an Indian woman made the pair of baby shoes of exquisite lace over lining of pink silk, which go with a cap of similar design made by another Indian woman—yet every stitch was worked by one of the women in Miss Colby's little bungalow; every bit of a large and handsome square of drawnwork finished with lovely lace was made at the same place, and many other articles were turned out by these Indians under the supervision of the teacher in that small Minnesota place.

Minneapolis residents little know that the New York lace market is supplied generously through the workers at Onigum mission, and that prominent society women are interested in its progress, and order curtains, spreads and other articles from these painstaking workers. Orders that range from \$100 to \$200 are a means of keeping the mission going.

Painstaking and willing as the Indian lacemakers are, their one great trial is to keep their hands clean. Clean hands for the lacemakers are an absolute essential, for soiled lace cannot be put on the market, and so the cry goes forth in Miss Colby's bungalow: "Clean hands, clean aprons." Once the lacemakers have mastered this rule, they find their reward by receiving permission to take their lace home to finish it.—Minneapolis Journal.

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What bird?

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IN OLD MADRID



CONVEYANCES SEEN IN THE SPANISH CAPITAL.

Madrid seems to the traveler a disappointingly commercial sort of place. Little of the romance of old Spain is apparent to the first survey. And alongside of the electric cars and automobiles one may occasionally see conveyances like these shown here. Five mules tandem draw the cart in the upper cut and slow-moving, plodding oxen haul the immense block of granite along the broad avenues of this thoroughly up-to-date and modern city.

ETERNAL LIFE

D EATH is the one experience which mortals regard as inevitable. Notwithstanding the fact that death has been the almost universal experience of man kind there has always existed in the breasts of men a sense of rebellion and a dim hope that somehow, somewhere, sometime the chief enemy would be overcome. The fact that men have feared, fought and tried to overcome death in proof of its abnormality, for if death were a reality, a part of God's plan, it would be accepted as a matter of course and without resistance.

Jesus Christ came showing mortals how to escape the dread enemy, offering his simple solution in the immortal words, "And this is life eternal (or life continuous), that they might know Thee, the only true God, and Jesus Christ whom Thou has sent." It is frequently said when this saying is quoted, "That refers to spiritual death," but a careful study of the Master's teaching and practice prove such a conclusion untenable. The death Jesus referred to was the kind from which he raised Lazarus and others.

In 1866 Mrs. Eddy discovered the rule and method whereby Jesus accomplished his mighty work and startled a death-bound world by asserting that these could be duplicated in our day and age through a spiritual understanding of his teaching.

There is a popular fallacy that God sends or permits death for some purpose. The surviving members of a family are frequently exhorted to submit to the will of God who has taken away their beloved one. Such a conclusion is not in accordance with the Scriptures, which teach that death is the wages of sin. Here the term sin is used in its broad sense and includes all error whether willful or unintentional—all that is embodied in a lack of understanding of God and His laws. John tells us that the "son of God was manifested that he might destroy the works of the devil."

Christian Science is doing valiant service in dispelling the fear of those who, in the language of the Scriptures, "through fear of death were all their lifetime subject to bondage." To remove the fear of death is to widen one's horizon; to extend one's effort farther into the future. Indeed, to destroy the fear of death is to minimize death itself. A long time may elapse before death is utterly abolished; but the victory over death will be gained as the mortal elements of human consciousness are discovered and eliminated. If death is the wages of sin, it logically follows that in the degree sin is overcome the liability to die is lessened, and this growth will go on until the promise in Revelation is fulfilled. "And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes, and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain, for the former things are passed away."

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The fact that in the recent centuries all have died, including those who were trying to follow Christ, does not in any way invalidate the promises; it simply proves that those who have died were not good enough or did not know enough to avoid that experience. The possibility of escaping death is just as good now as in the first or any other century. It is simply a question of conforming to the conditions named by the Master.

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The work in Kansas is being expanded upon the old Santa Fe trail—the thoroughfare over which the tide of emigration moved in the old days when the prairie schooners with their loads of solidary but hopeful home and fortune seekers journeyed toward the distant West. The Kansas plan is to have a 30-foot speedway between Kansas City and Santa Fe. Seven counties are now engaged in doing their part.—Des Moines Capital.

The sense of humor is the oil of life's engine. Without it, the machinery creaks and groans. No lot is so hard, so aspect of things is so grim, but it relaxes before a hearty laugh.—George S. Merriam.

I have closed the door on Doubt; I will go by what light I can find, And hold up my hands, and reach them out.

To the glimmer of God in the dark, and call:

"I am thine, though I grope and stumble and fall."

I serve; and Thy service is kind."

I have closed the door on Fear.

He has lived with me far too long.

If he were to break forth and reappear,

I should lift my eyes and look at the sky,

And sing aloud, and run lightly by;

He will never follow a song.

I have closed the door on Gloom.

His house has too narrow a view.

I must seek for my soul a wider room,

With windows to open and let in the sun,

And radiant lamps when the day is done,

And the breeze of the world blowing through.

—Irene P. McKeahan in Century Magazine.

Runs in the Family

Mr. Agile (to Mr. Stoutman, running for a car): "Hallo, old boy! I thought you were too lazy to run like that."

Mr. Stoutman (languidly): "Easily explained, my dear boy; laziness runs in our family."—Lippincott's.

For love is a celestial harmony.—Spenser.

As regards the two lives, I do not think you would be the better for withdrawing from society. Another set of temptations would arise, and perhaps what are quite as dangerous, though more subtle. But what we have to do is in our vocation, whatever it is, to be quite sure we stand on God's side, and doing this will always cause us to use God's gifts without abusing them and as for His glory. How rightly to win in this world's life, even in a moderate degree, needs much inward self-discipline and self-restraint, much watchfulness to be true to God, and a fixed rule as to what one will or will not do, all this needs a very true conscientious dealing with oneself. I am far from thinking it is possible to serve God and the world, but living in the world is not serving the world.—H. Monsell.

PATRIOTS' DAY

CONCORD and Lexington day, April 19, is a real Bostonian festival, of course, and it is celebrated in a characteristic manner enough. It is likely to be one of the first of the warm, happy spring times, and the parks and suburban places are always full of holiday makers. There is never any large demonstration, such as may come in June when Bunker Hill is remembered. Patriots' day is a homely day, even as the New England Thanksgiving is. Families are all about in groups, the river at the Newtons and Dedham begins to be full of merry parties of young folks, the marathon race is run, anticipated all the year by youthful enthusiasm, which enlivens its like in the homes of Boston. The Back Bay is given over to this event, indeed, and the pedestrian or driver or who would reach "the other side of Commonwealth avenue" finds himself helpless in the close packed crowds that line the ropes along the course. No, the policeman cannot let you across, for the whole mob might take a fancy to follow. So until the last trotter is in—and indeed the run is not even a trot at the close—one may wander disconsolate, shut off from friends and home by the patient spectators, who await numbers three and four and five

and the rest with apparently the same anticipation which made number one's entry so uproarious.

Did we say it was a home day? Yes, for where is the American family more at home than on the baseball bleachers? The season opens on this day. This year there were two important league games, one in the morning and one in the afternoon. Huntington avenue was a river of black hats and bright bunting. All of the people hurried, and many of them ran. It was as if they could not reach the arena of the momentous conflict soon enough. The side streets contributed just as dense throngs and afterward the uproar—ah, well, every American knows the sound of the flood of baseball enthusiasm sweeping across the benches. One fancies that the sailing ball must be upborne across the blue by the very breath of the full-throated acclamation.

The patriotic societies meet on this day, and in some suburban places the militia are out in memory of their plucky farmer forbears. But in general it is a picnicking day in the pleasant April weather rather than a parading one, and it is surely kept in a far better fashion than the noisy Fourth of July.

THE FIRST MATHEMATICS

The cradle of mathematics is in the tally marks of the savages, believes Major Charles E. Woodruff, the anthropologist. The natural way of recording numbers is by tally marks, and it is the universal custom of mankind, at least, of all intelligent enough to count.

Historians of mathematics use the term tally marks to refer to the notched sticks, but it is here meant to refer to any simple marks or scores. Tally marks must be so distinctive that they can be read no matter how the coin or stick is held, vertically, horizontally, or inverted.

The modern six or nine would have been useless, since they would have been indistinguishable unless the top were known. Therefore, we find many instances in which the numerals have been inverted or inclined at various angles, as it was of no practical importance at first whether they were upside down or not.

The two, as well as the four, five, six, or seven, all have been inverted and reversed at times. There may also have been reversals of the forms due to the fact that the people from whom the Arabs obtained the numerals probably wrote from left to right, while the Arabs wrote from right to left, and the Europeans from left to right.

THE CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR

"First the blade, then the ear,  then the full grain in the ear."

EDITORIAL

Boston, Mass., Friday, April 29, 1910.

The Taft Program Blocked

THE status of the administration measures in Congress is more uncertain now than at any previous time. The postal savings bill has made little, if any, progress recently toward its final passage. The railroad bill seems to be losing rather than gaining strength as the debate proceeds. The land withdrawal bill is said to be almost wholly unsatisfactory to extremists on both sides of the conservation question. The injunction bill, if passed, will be a substitute for a Taft measure, although perhaps not an unsatisfactory one. Other administration recommendations have either been shelved already or are very likely to be disposed of within a short time. The outlook is not encouraging for the White House; it is not encouraging for the regulars; it is not encouraging for the Republican party. The Democrats appear to have become so confident of the utter breakdown of the administration program that they do not deem it necessary any longer to make professions of friendship for the insurgents.

There is the possibility, of course, that an appeal from the President and the leaders, calculated to arrest the attention of all the Republican representatives and senators who are not actually committed to irreconcilable insurgency, may be issued, and may result in a rally of the forces that will save the day. But this, to say the least, is improbable.

Heretofore, the President has borne good naturally with disappointments, which have not been far removed from rebuffs, in dealing with a Congress that professes to be friendly to his administration. Whether he will continue in this attitude much longer is becoming an interesting question. He has now before him for consideration and approval a favorite piece of congressional legislation, the river and harbor bill. A more timely or fitting opportunity of permitting it to become known that he is tired of the present situation could hardly be afforded him. If he should veto this "pork barrel" measure—a measure which already stands condemned out of his own mouth—he would uncover undoubtedly the real sentiment of many of his professed friends in Congress and establish his attitude to his entire satisfaction. But he would accomplish far more than this. He would establish his own independence before the country and win popular applause and support that would doubtless be worth having.

ALTHOUGH horses have been superseded to a great extent by automobiles, they are not to be had at low prices. At a recent sale in Chicago 471 horses realized almost \$140,000, or about \$300 apiece.

NUMEROUS attempts are being made by genuine as well as doubtful friends of the postal savings bank idea to explain why many should seem to place obstacles in the way of the passage of a measure looking to the establishment of a postal savings bank system in this country. The present bill, amended to suit some radical views in the Senate, may be admitted, for the mere sake of argument, to be unsatisfactory. It may be conceded that it carries provisions that would handicap the operation of the system. It may even be conceded that it is too experimental in its character, and too venturesome in certain of its aims. But no postal savings bank law that the present session of Congress may enact will contain the final word on the subject. It may be, and doubtless it will be, amended frequently.

The civil service law as originally enacted was far from being entirely satisfactory to the friends of civil service reform. It is still being improved at every session. The interstate commerce law is the result of growth, and it is still growing. Congress spends a large part of its time every session in amending and strengthening laws already in existence. Real friends of postal savings banks, if they be wise, will accept from the present Congress a measure in any shape that promises to be reasonably satisfactory. Let the system once be put in operation and it will be certain to grow up to the necessities and possibilities of the future. The thing is to obtain from a reluctant Congress a law that will give the postal savings bank system a start.

THE endorsement by the Indiana Democratic state convention of John W. Kern as the party's candidate for the United States senatorship, in opposition to Senator A. J. Beveridge, whose term expires on March 4 next, and the cheerful acceptance of this action not only by Mr. Kern but by Mr. Taggart, whose aspirations were strongly in the same direction, assure a contest in the next Indiana Legislature between two men of unquestioned character and ability and national reputation. The real battle, however, will be fought before the Legislature assembles, and lost or won according as the state shall decide to accept the progressive Republican platform which Senator Beveridge stands for, or to insist upon giving the progressive Democracy which Mr. Kern represents a chance to control legislation at Washington.

A Good Word for East Texas

ORDINARY people speak of Texas as if it were an ordinary state, when, in fact, it is nothing of the kind. They lose sight of the fact that it has an area of 265,896 square miles and a population which bids fair to give it third place among the states of the Union according to the returns of the census now under way. People talk of going to Texas and of coming from Texas, but if they are acquainted with the extent of Texas they do this as people talk of going to and coming from Europe, or Asia, or South America. Even the Texans themselves do not always take in the fact that to all intents and purposes the Lone Star state is an empire, rather than a province. When they do take it in, the North Texans speak of South Texas, and the West Texans of the East Texans, and vice versa, as people who, while bound to them by friendly and indissoluble ties of race, interest, etc., are occupying another and somewhat remote part of the earth.

Dallas, for example, is six counties west of the Louisiana line,

but they are such big counties that to the residents of Dallas East Texas seems a long way off, yet the Texans over in the Pecos or El Paso country regard Dallas as a place somewhere in the Orient. But the great advantages of the magnificent distances which prevail in Texas is that there is no rivalry between the sections and no reason for any. Thus, the Dallas News, referring to the wondrous productivity of East Texas, is able to say: "A goodly portion of the News staff has been recruited from the pine woods district, and they cherish fond memories of yellow-legged chickens, spring eggs, golden butter and splendid buttermilk which were to be found on every table in that section in the years ago." And, presumably, are to be found to this day.

The occasion for this kindly reference is the fact that an industrial congress was held over at Nacogdoches recently at which attention was especially directed to exhibits of fruit, vegetables, cereals, etc., raised in East Texas. The truth is, it appears to have been impossible for the managers of the industrial congress to crowd into it more than a fraction of the samples of East Texas productivity which came to them for display, and among the valuable contributions crowded out for want of space were chickens and eggs and butter and milk. Nothing save an unselfish desire to set East Texas right in the estimation of all the rest of Texas has prompted the Dallas News to make it clear that in that part of Texas from which the journalism of metropolitan Texas is recruited, the yellow-legged chicken and all the delicacies that go with it, and are inseparable from it, are still plentiful and worthy.

IN HIS official welcome to the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers holding its annual convention in Boston this week, Governor Draper paid tribute to the courage of its members. If they hadn't courage, said he, they wouldn't be building such large mills under present market conditions. In New Bedford, for instance, they are making the greatest expenditures in years for additions to their mills, and the same is true of Lowell

and Lawrence. They have confidence; they think business will be good—in that belief the Governor said he coincided with them. He classed the textile industry as one of the greatest in the commonwealth.

The convention took place in the Mechanics building, where there is an exhibition of textile products and machinery that will continue through Saturday evening. Primarily set up for the benefit of the delegates to the association meeting, it has features of interest to the general public. One may witness and have explained to him the making of fabrics from the raw material to the finished article. Many states are represented, machines having come from New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Indiana, Rhode Island, North Carolina, Michigan, Missouri, Minnesota and a large number from Massachusetts, the total of exhibitors being over a hundred. The show affords manufacturers a good opportunity for comparing the merits of various devices, and therein has peculiar value with relation to the convention.

A feature of the meetings of delegates was the address of President MacLaurin of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, in which he outlined what the institute has done in tests on methods of "carding" and "drawing," investigations on the qualities of different yarns, and in chemical researches bearing on the textile industry. He said the institute placed its laboratories and the services of its experts freely at the disposal of the manufacturers of the country, asking nothing in return except the actual cost of the investigations undertaken. Its aim was simply to help on the development of the resources and industries of the nation. Splendid possibilities are here opened to our manufacturers and they surely will take advantage of the opportunities offered for the advancement of their interests.

THE Republican insurgents were given a shaking up in the Senate on Wednesday that was far from agreeable to them. The Democrats turned upon them and gave them to understand that they could not travel forth and back at will between the camps of the two great rival parties. The insurgents now find that instead of being welcomed first in one party and then in the other, they are being shot at from both. Senator Bailey of Texas told them plainly that "no man can claim the protection of a flag and at the same time fire upon it." The insurgents were caught off guard, and, in attempting a defense, Senator Dolliver of Iowa said:

I propose to fight, not against the Republican party, but for it, to fight within its ranks, not in order to cripple or injure or to disturb its usefulness, but to make it the obedient servant, no longer of a few men or a few overgrown financial interests, but of the scattered millions who make up its membership and who have a right to be consulted in its management and control.

This laid the senator open to a sharp cut from Mr. Bailey, in the retort that if he were chairman of the Democratic congressional campaign committee he would circulate that explanation all over the United States as a campaign document against the Republican party. He claimed that it was an admission that the Republican party is controlled and dominated by the special interests.

Senator Rayner of Maryland along with Senator Bailey served notice on the insurgents that he was tired of the flirtations the radicals have been carrying on with the Democracy and asked them to declare their intentions. Both invited them to come over and join the Democrats. In conclusion, Senator Bailey tendered the insurgents a piece of valuable advice when he said: "You may win defending what the Republican party has done. You cannot win as Republicans denouncing its legislation and its leaders."

The episode apparently has had the effect of opening the eyes of the insurgents to their real relations with their party and it may have a sobering influence upon them.

THE statement that is being made to the effect that it costs the United States \$500,000,000 a year to feed the rats that it contains and that there are five rats to each human being seems rather startling, as does the further affirmation that if the census just now being taken were to include an enumeration of the rats as well, it would show that their numbers are rapidly increasing. Are these statistics to be looked at from any point of view as a reflection upon the manner in which the millions of cats of the nation are fulfilling their purr-puss?

THE fresh resolutions for reform which Lord Rosebery will shortly bring before the House of Lords represent a further attempt to elicit an expression of general principles rather than to develop a detailed scheme of reform. They are only two in number, though one of them contains three separate propositions, and, if carried, may form the basis of a set of more precise resolutions, or even of a bill itself. The first clause of the first resolution declares that the future Lords of Parliament shall be chosen, inter alia, by the entire body of hereditary peers, either from among themselves or by nomination by the crown. It will be seen that this, while safeguarding the hereditary principle in theory, affords no indication either of the proportion in which the selection is to be effected or of the limit to which the self-denying ordinance is to be pushed. Both these decisions will leave room for almost unlimited difference of opinion. Next, the resolution declares that a proportion of the Lords shall sit by virtue of offices and qualifications held by them, and finally that a modicum shall be chosen from outside. It is, of course, perfectly plain that these last two clauses are so extraordinarily elastic that they are capable of being stretched to almost any extent. Presumably, therefore, Lord Rosebery is seeking rather for an expression of opinion from the House than attempting to frame a model for its acceptance. It does not require unlimited acumen to foresee that the answer he will receive from Lord Halsbury or Lord Newton will be vastly different.

The second resolution declares that the tenure of office of all Lords of Parliament shall be the same, with the exception of those sitting ex officio. The distinction contained in this is obviously inevitable, but the earlier part, beyond determining that the hereditary peer and the qualified peer shall sit for the same period, does not attempt to define what that period shall be, and between a lifetime and a session there may be a great gulf fixed. Interesting, in short, as Lord Rosebery's further resolutions are, they will commit the House to very little. The really interesting moment will come when he proceeds to fill in the blanks. That will be the hour of the backwoodsman.

Over the Ocean Next

PARIS is echoing with plaudits for Paulhan. The skilful aviator is the hero of the hour throughout France, and indeed all the world is bestowing praise upon him for his successful flight in an aeroplane from London to Manchester, a distance of 186 miles. Paulhan has many times experienced the joy of victory, being a star competitor at aviation meets abroad and in this country; he has accomplished the highest flight ever made in an aeroplane (4165 feet), and he holds the record for continuous flight across country (118 miles in 3½ hours), yet nothing before has brought him a reward so valuable materially as that won in the London-Manchester flight, the \$50,000 prize offered by the London Daily Mail.

It is less than a year since Louis Paulhan made his first flight in an aeroplane. That was on July 10, 1910, when he flew 1¼ miles at Douai, France. Five days later, still a novice, he flew 1h. 17m. 5s., reaching a height of 400 feet. Since then his record has been remarkable. In the opinion of many he ranks second to none as an air navigator, possessing courage and daring of a high order, combined with skill and a thorough knowledge of his art. A few years ago he was a mechanician in France at a small salary. When he came to the United States for a tour of six months he was said to have received \$20,000 a month and expenses.

M. Paulhan states that the London-Manchester trip may be easily made without a stop. He made several long cross-country voyages in America, and he was probably confident of winning when he started on this latest long ride. The public need not be surprised to hear before many months that Paulhan has set off on an over-the-ocean flight. From the westernmost point of the British Isles to St. Johns, Newfoundland, is about 1600 miles. At fifty miles an hour the flier would require but little over thirty hours for the passage. Watch for Paulhan!

THE organization in this city of the Society for the Preservation of New England Antiquities guarantees the saving of more of the old landmarks and objects of historical interest. Its president is Charles K. Bolton.

THE stampede of seven circus elephants at Danville, Ill., on Wednesday constitutes an incident that is certain to invite unusual comment at this time, and for reasons that will be obvious even to the most obtuse when the facts, immediate and incidental, are made known. In the first place, Danville, Ill., is Speaker Cannon's home town, and anything in the nature of a stampede, or a revolt, or an insurrection, in Speaker Cannon's town, or in Speaker Cannon's neighborhood, or in Speaker Cannon's vicinity, at this time, has engrossing, if not thrilling, interest for the whole country.

It would be folly to undertake to attempt to outline the various turns which the comment will take, but it is safe to say that the incident will be made use of equally by both factions of the party of which the elephant is a symbol. It may be said, on the one hand, that evidently the most docile of animals, the circus elephant, could not restrain a desire to insurge the moment he found himself in the environment of Cannonism. On the other hand, it will be said that if Speaker Cannon had been in his home town when the seven elephants rose in revolt against their keepers and deserted their circus he would have speedily subdued them with a discourse on the virtue of standing pat.

The extremists on the insurgent side may not be content until they shall have attempted to prove by the Danville incident that Czarism must go; the extremists on the regular side may not be content until they shall have attempted to prove by it that meddling with the tariff at this time will mean the disturbance of business and the upsetting of those conditions that make for national prosperity.

However all this may be, the fact that the seven insurgent elephants are again eating the circus hay in at least seeming contentment will be likely to cause uneasiness in any Democratic circles wherein it was hoped that the rebellious animals would refuse to be reconciled on any terms.

The Danville Insurgents